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COOLIDGE FAVORS NEW WORLD CONFERENCE TO CURB FUTURE STRIFE

Does Not Hope for Absolute Peace Remedy, But Sees Relief Measures.

New York, April 22—(AP)—President Coolidge announced in an address at the annual luncheon here today of the Associated Press that with firm establishment of a settlement of the German reparations question he would favor steps looking toward the calling of another world conference to consider further limitation of armaments and the codification of international law.

Disclaiming any ability to announce a formula that would guarantee the peace of the world, the president declared there were, however, certain definite things which should be done to relieve the world "of much of the burden of military armaments and diminish the probability of military operations."

"WAR SUCCESS."

"The Washington conference did a great deal to restore harmony and good will among the nations," the president said, "another purpose of a conference is the further limitation of competitive armaments, much remains to be accomplished in that direction.

"It would appear so be impractical to attempt action under present conditions, but with a certain and definite settlement of German reparations firmly established, I should favor the calling of a similar conference to achieve such limitations of armaments and initiate plans for a codification of international, should preliminary inquiries disclose that such a proposal would meet with a sympathetic response."

NATURAL LEADER.

The United States, the president said, stands in position to take the lead in such an additional move toward world peace because America holds the respect of other nations and "our position is such that we are trusted and our business institutions and government considered to be worthy of confidence."

Mr. Coolidge hailed the work of the Dawes commission as unsurpassed in importance by anything that had transpired since the armistice and declared there appeared "to be every reason to hope that the report offers a basis for a practical solution of the reparations problem."

TRUST TO SUCCESS.

"I trust that it may commend itself to all the European governments interested as a method by which, through mutual concessions, they can arrive at a stable adjustment of the intricate and vexatious problem of reparations, and that such an outcome will provide for the restoration of Germany and the largest possible payments to other countries," he added.

Pointing out that the plan proposed by General Dawes and his associates contemplates an immediate loan to Germany for pressing needs and for financing of a bank, he expressed the hope that private American capital would be willing to participate in the making of such a loan.

BUSINESS REASONS.

"Sound business reasons why we should participate in the financing of works of peace in Europe, though we have repeatedly asserted that we were not in favor of advancing funds for any military purpose," he continued. "It would benefit our trade hope that it will provide a larger and commerce and we especially market for our agricultural production. * * * Besides this, there is the humanitarian requirement, which carries such a strong appeal, and the knowledge that out of our abundance it is our duty to help where help will be used for meeting just requirements and the promotion of a peaceful purpose."

FOREIGN RELATIONS.

The president devoted his address, delivered to the leading newspaper publishers and editors of the country, to the country's foreign relations in the main although he reminded those who heard him that "our first duty is to ourselves" and that "American standards must be maintained, American institutions must be preserved."

The whole address was based on the general theme of service—the service that the American government might render to the people and

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NEW YORK CROWDS GREET PRESIDENT AND MRS. COOLIDGE

New York, April 22—President Coolidge, who will address the annual luncheon of the Associated Press today, arrived at the Pennsylvania station with Mrs. Coolidge and a small party at 5:52 this morning.

As the president and Mrs. Coolidge walked through lines of policemen to a motor car at the entrance of the station a crowd of men and women passing through the avenue on their way to work cheered for several minutes.

Formal greetings of the Associated Press were conveyed to the president in the presidential suite by a committee of its membership consisting of Frank B. Noyes, president and director, Melville E. Stone, counseller and Adolph S. Ochs, director and publisher of the New York Times.

LAWSON RE-ELECTED.

Victor F. Lawson, of The Chicago Daily News was re-elected a director by acclamation at the annual meeting of the Associated Press today. Ralph H. Booth of the Saginaw, Mich. News Courier withdrew in favor of Mr. Lawson.

After the report of the nominating committee was presented Mr. Booth moved that the usual balloting for directors be dispensed with in Mr. Lawson's case and that the secretary be directed to cast one ballot for his election.

NOYES' ADDRESS.

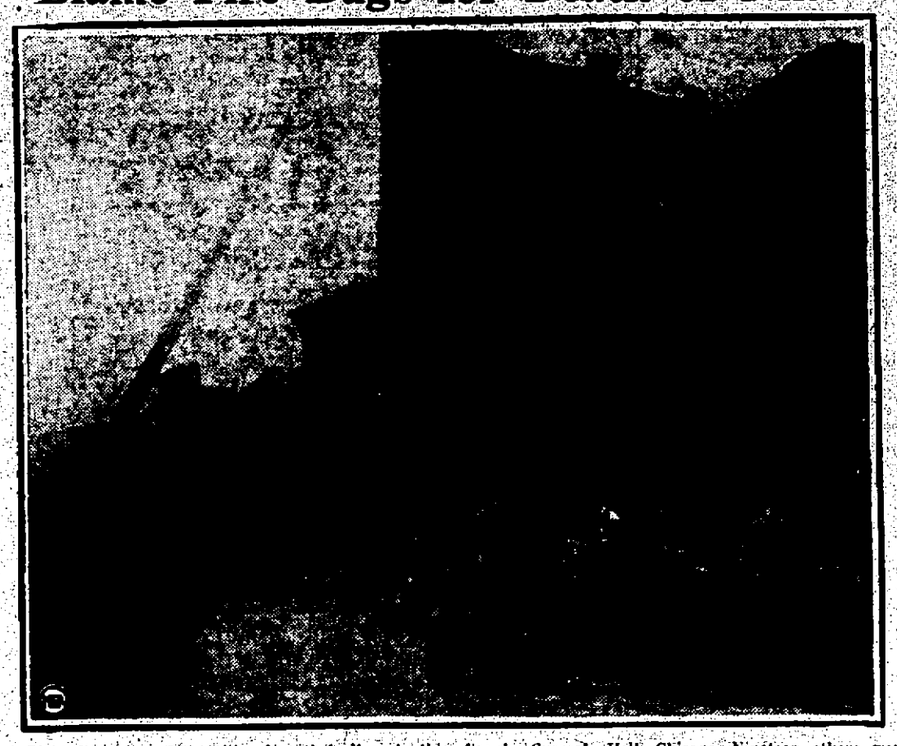
Frank B. Noyes, president of the Associated Press introduced Coolidge at the banquet with the following address:

"Mr. President, ladies and gentlemen:

"I hope I may be pardoned if I take advantage of this occasion to again explain exactly what the Associated Press is.

"The reason for the existence of the Associated Press is found in the determination of the newspapers composing its membership—some 1,200 in all—to have a world news service of their own, their servant and not their master; this news service to be non-partisan in the broadest sense, one that has no bias whatever, whether political, religious or economic, that should be as accurate as possible and that should be comprehensive within the limits of decency; a news service whose sole mission is to supply its members, and its members alone, with news — not views; a news service that should not constitute itself judge or jury, prosecuting attorney or attorney for the defense, but content itself with acting as an impartial reporter.

Blame Fire Bugs for Death of Nine



Eight firemen and a civilian lost their lives in this fire in Curran's Hall, Chicago. Nineteen others were injured. Investigators believe the blaze was of incendiary origin. Bricks almost buried this fire department truck when the walls toppled over.

Night Work Will Speed Progress of Senate Bonus Bill

Democrats Plan Cash-Payment As Amendment To Measure After Passage.

Washington, April 22—Facing a contest on a proposal for a cash option in the insurance bonus bill as a result of an insurgent movement in Democratic ranks, the senate prepared today to go into a night session to hasten action on the measure.

The cash option fight flared up yesterday after Senator Walsh, Massachusetts, author of the cash amendment, having formally withdrawn it, Senator Copeland, Democrat, New York, backed by Senators, Dill, Democrat, Washington, and Norris, Republican, Nebraska, offered an identical proposal.

Democratic leaders had just announced their intention of withholding the proposal until after enactment of the straight insurance bill, planning then to move for its adoption as an amendment to the law.

The substitute bill would give the veterans an option of full cash payments instead of insurance.

The substitute calls for issuance of $1,500,000,000 additional bonds to meet the cash payments which would be made available nine months after enactment of the bill.

"SHADOW BONUS."

Senator Sheppard, Democrat, Texas opening debate today, assailed the insurance measure as "a shadow bonus." He said he would support the bill under protest.

Senator Bursum, Republican, New Mexico, said that while he had considered other bills perhaps better, he was anxious to support the pending measure in the light of endorsement of it by American Legion posts of his state.

Senator Copeland, read a telegram from a soldier organization in Arkansas supporting his cash plan.

GALES KEEP MAJOR MARTIN INACTIVE

Unfavorable Weather Delays Flight.

Aboard the U. S. Coast Guard Cutter Algonquin, Kanatak, Alaska, April 22—(By wireless to the (AP) via Bremerton, Wash.)— Unfavorable weather conditions prevented Major Frederick L. Martin, commanding a flight around the world by four United States army airplanes, from leaving here Monday for Dutch Harbor, Unalaska, 550 miles southwest, where his three companions arrived last Saturday.

Major Martin's plane, which had a new engine installed here after being forced down during the Seward to Chignik flight, was securely moored and weathering the gale.

DELEWARE G. O. P. REPORTS DISCORD

Dover, Del., April 22—After a series of conferences and parleys the only thing certain about the Republican state convention which meets today was that T. C. Dupont would be elected national committeeman.

Difference of opinion over the apportionment of delegates to the national convention has resulted in all slates being broken.

BARTHOU DISCUSSES PLAN'S PROCEDURE

Paris, April 22—Louis Barthou, president of the reparation commission, had a long talk today with Premier Poincare concerning the methods of procedure in putting into effect the reparation program outlined by Brig.-Gen. Dawes and his fellow experts.

Three Line Reviews.

FIND ANCIENT CITY.

London, April 22—The ancient city of Melchisedek has been penetrated, press reports say.

TO CLOSE SHOWS.

New York, April 22—Florenz Ziegfeld will close his traveling and New York productions May 31.

$118,000 DAMAGES.

San Francisco, April 22—Damages of $118,000 were awarded for a street accident.

Wets Renew Efforts For "2.75" Beer

House Judiciary Committee Hears Arguments.

Washington, April 22—Additional arguments in favor of legalizing the sale of 2.75 percent beer were presented today to the house judiciary committee.

A dozen witnesses were to continue the appeal for modification of the Volstead act which was begun yesterday by representatives of the American Federation of Labor.

WOULD AID LAW.

Henry S. Priest, St. Louis, representing the association against the prohibition amendment, recommended legalizing the sale of 2.75 beer as a means of lessening violations of the Volstead act. He assailed the present enforcement system and urged that "moral suasion" be used "instead of guns."

The bootlegger is a result of anti saloon league, Priest said. The prohibition amendment would be repealed by a vote of ninety per cent of the citizenship if all violators would go to the polls, he added.

GOMPERS TALKS.

A "factory boy" of eighty odd years Monday matched his wits and facts on prohibition against robust and oratorical congressmen in a fashion that drowned their near heckling in outbursts of cheers from an audience whose violations of dignity and propriety of a congressional committee left that body flabbergasted.

The house committee hearing on fifty-nine bills to legalize light wines and beer was the scene. Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor — 4,000,000 strong—was the "youngster" on the stand.

FROM WHISKY TO BEER.

"I am a factory boy," he began. "I tell you that so you may know I know whereof I speak. You ask me what influence legalization of 2.75 per cent beer would have on general prohibition enforcement. I answer in one sentence:

"It would transform the people of the United States from a whisky drinking to a beer drinking nation."

That brought an outburst of applause—and noticeably from some of the many women in the audience of 500, though others of their sex gazed at the hand clappers in austere and offended surprise.

CAN'T LEGISLATE SOBRIETY.

Throwing away sheets of notes penciled in letters two inches high that his dimmed sight might discern them Mr. Gompers, his voice rising from low roughness to reverberating resonance, turned the fire on the committee.

"You can't make men sober by law. You can't make men good by law."

Pinchot Battles For Political Supremacy

Governor Says Foes Seek "Corruption, Debauchery, Degradation of State."

Philadelphia, April 22.—Governor Pinchot today measured his political strength with dominent forces of the Republican organization in Pennsylvania in a fight with R. B. Strassburger, Norristown publisher, for election, in a state-wide primary, as a delegate-at-large to the Republican national convention.

Two years ago, when he was nominated for governor, he defeated the organization.

SUCCESS WAS ASSURED.

Until last Saturday, when Representative Vare, local Republican leader, announced his opposition to Pinchot and declared he would support Strassburger, the governor's election was assured. Today Vare followers said the organization here would be lined up for Strassburger.

DENOUNCES FOES.

Governor Pinchot yesterday denounced Vare and declared that against him were all the forces that "work for corruption, debauchery and moral degradation of the state." He asserted that his stand for prohibition and law enforcement had been the cause of Vare's withdrawal of his support.

Congressman Vare countered with the statement that his action was prompted by the governor's suggestion for the appointment of F. J. Lenny as counsel for the senate committee investigating the internal revenue bureau which he characterized as a move to "discredit Secretary Mellon and embarrass the Coolidge administration."

NEW JERSEY PRIMARY.

Newark, N. J., April 22—Republican organization leaders, supporting President Coolidge, discounted the difficulties predicted for them in the New Jersey primaries today at which national convention delegates are being chosen.

The Coolidge campaign has been complicated by anti-saloon league opposition to Senator Walter E. Edge and former Governor Edward C. Stokes as candidates for delegates at large, by contests between organization and independent candidates in four of the twelve congressional districts and by the state wide opposition of candidates pledged to Senator Hiram Johnson of California.

SILZER UNOPPOSED.

A light Democratic vote is expected due to the fact that Governor Silzer is unopposed for the Democratic presidential nomination.

Action of the anti-saloon league in calling for the defeat of Senator Edge and for the election of former Senator J. S. Frelinghuysen also a candidate for delegate at large has been interpreted by Edge supporters as the beginning of an expected fight on the renomination of Senator Edge.

Pull Golden Treasures Up Out of Sea

Huge Wealth Salvaged from Lauretanic Wreck.

London, April 22—(AP)—There are now only 154 bars of gold worth $1,200,000 on the wreck of the Laurentic, which was sunk during the war, and the salvage ship Racer will shortly endeavor to recover this, said Commander G. C. C. Damant in the course of a lecture at the Institution of Mechanical Engineers.

Four boxes of gold weighing 140 pounds each were recovered in such short time when the work started that it seemed as if operations would be finished in a week.

A fierce gale sprang up, however, and the wreck collapsed, making salvage work very difficult. Of the 3,211 bars which went down with the ship 3,057 have been recovered during operations extending over six summers at a cost of two and one-half per cent.

"BREAKS" AGAINST BOBBED HAIR GIRL

Bandit Couple Taken to New York.

Jacksonville, Fla., April 22—Celia Cooney, twenty-years-old, smiled a demure goodbye as she boarded a train here Monday for New York in custody of two detectives to face charges there of highway robbery and assault with intent to kill in connection with a long series of daring holdups credited to "the bobbed-hair girl bandit".

Her husband, Edward Cooney, twenty-five, also charged with the holdups and shooting, was visibly shaken as he began the trip back to New York.

The party expected to arrive in New York Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock.

OFFERS COMPROMISE.

"I won't shoot if you won't," she offered when the police broke in the door of the room in which they were staying, and a threatened gun fight was averted. She persuaded her husband, she told police, not to shoot when the officers entered the room. Cooney, wanted to kill her and then commit suicide, rather than be captured, Mrs. Cooney told Detective F. S. Gray, of the New York department.

It was the birth and subsequent death of their child that led to the apprehension of the Cooneys. The child, a girl, was born here on April 11, and died eight days later. It was born just ten days after the holdup of the National Biscuit company plant on April 1, which Mrs. Cooney said, was her twentieth birthday.

THROUGH 13 STATES.

The trail led through thirteen states, according to Detectives Gray and William G. Casey, of New York. Upon arrival here last night the detectives said they traced the couple from one rooming house to another without results, and it was through the undertaker who had charge of funeral arrangements fo the child, that their address was obtained.

Mrs. Cooney ceased to smile for a few minutes today when she discussed the death of her baby.

New York police said they obtained the "tip" that the Cooneys were in Jacksonville through a message for money that Cooney was said to have sent his mother in New York.

"The Kindliest Man Alive" Becomes New British Hangman

Manchester, England, April 22—(AP)—William Willis, of Ardwick, near here, who is described by his wife as "the kindliest man alive," is to be the new public executioner to succeed John Ellis, who recently retired.

Willis is a native of Manchester and has been assistant hangman for 20 years. When he is not engaged in despatching criminals to their doom he works as an engraver.

"You would never guess my husband was a hangman," his wife said. "He is the kindliest man alive."

TELL HOW M'CRAY DISCOUNTED NOTES

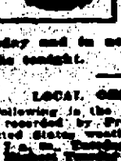
Indianapolis, April 22—Testimony regarding alleged methods employed by Gov. McCray in discounting notes endorsed by him, was continued today at the trial of the executive in federal court here on charges of using the mails to defraud.

Seven witnesses, six of whom are bankers, were examined yesterday. They testified McCray solicited their banks to take up notes signed by individuals and firms which bore his endorsement and that he claimed to have investigated the makers of the notes and represented them as having ample means to meet the notes when due.

TWO HERRIN MEN FORFEIT BONDS

Danville, Ill., April 22—Failure of Caesar Montani and Joe Noe, of Herrin, to appear for trial today in federal court caused their bonds to be forfeited. Both men operated soft drink places in Herrin. John Rolando, of Herrin; Antoni Triano, of Weaver, and Claire Jennings, Carbondale, were each fined $250 for possession of liquor.

The Weather



Chicago, April 22, 1924—Following are the weather indications for Illinois:

Fair tonight and Wednesday; becoming unsettled in north portion Wednesday; rising temperature Wednesday and in north and west portions tonight.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. L. Hamilton, United States weather observer:

1 a.m. Monday	[illegible]
7 a.m. Monday	[illegible]
Noon Monday	[illegible]
Highest (Monday)	[illegible]
Lowest (Monday)	[illegible]
Mean (Monday)	[illegible]
Same date last year	[illegible]

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, April 22—Canadian Northwest: 32 to 44, cloudy.

Northwest, 30 to 42, cloudy. Lower Missouri: North Dakota and Minnesota: West, 36 to 48, clear.

Southwest, 40 to 52, clear.

Ohio Valley, 44 to 52, clear, rising.

Southern Illinois: Indiana and Indiana.

Illinois G. O. P. Is Reunited

Brundage and Thompson Factions Favor Same Judge.

Chicago, April 22.—Republican forces in Cook county were reunited today when the Seventh district judicial convention nominated Superior Judge Frederick R. DeYoung of Chicago for the Illinois supreme court by an overwhelming majority.

Before presenting the name of Judge DeYoung to the Seventh district convention last night, former Mayor Thompson said that the factions had been united by the nomination of Charles S. Deneen for the United States senate and stated "the man we nominate here, according to the pledge of another faction, will be nominated in another convention tomorrow.

"Then we'll all stand united."

Judge DeYoung was nominated by the 1920 Cook county convention last night and as precaution against a contest, his name will be submitted today to a convention of the 1916 committee which failed to send a delegation to the state convention at Springfield Friday.

PLEADS FOR HARMONY.

Former Mayor Thompson of Chicago was in control at last night's meeting and led in the plea for harmony.

"For the first time in a long time," he said, "I am going to talk harmony. I've been the chief battle axe thrower for some time, but that day is over. I know you are glad because we have nominated the best governor Illinois ever has had.

WILL STAND UNITED.

"Now we find ourselves united with a faction with which we have been at outs, united by the nomination of Charles S. Deneen, for the senate. And the man we nominate here, will be nominated in another convention tomorrow and then we'll all stand united."

Governor Small was in the convention as a delegate from Kankakee county. He was given a rousing welcome.

LUNDIN ABSENT.

Fred Lundin an accredited delegate from Lake county, was not in the hall when the nomination was made though a number of his allies were voting. Governor Small spoke briefly on the importance of the supreme court selection.

Judge DeYoung, a resident of Harvey, was admitted to the bar in 1897. He served two terms in the general assembly, was appointed circuit judge by Former Governor Lowden and elected to the superior bench last fall.

CHAUNCEY DEPEW NINETY YEARS OLD

Statesman Says Coolidge to Be Elected.

New York, April 22—The burden of 90 years took heavily on the shoulders of Chauncey M. Depew, the Republican statesman, to celebrate which [illegible] Chamber will [illegible]

BLIND LAW STUDENT PASSES STATE BAR

Chicago, April 22.—George H. Weinmann, 24, Chicago, totally blind since babyhood, has passed the Illinois bar examination and will be graduated with high honors from Northwestern University law school in June. His mother and sister read to him every word in all the law books he has used.

ALTON'S HISTORIC HALL DESTROYED

Alton, Ill., April 22.—The Alton city hall, historic building of colonial design and scene of the Lincoln-Douglass debate in 1858, was destroyed by fire this morning.

Mayor John Eible says that there is no doubt the building was set afire.

INDIA CHURCHMAN VISITS SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, April 22—Dr. Jashwant R. Chitambar, mentioned as the probable next bishop of India of the [illegible] church, is the guest of the Monday Luncheon club [illegible] Chitambar will address [illegible]

SERBIA LEADS BALKANS IN WAR POWER

Bulgaria Denies "Armed Menace" Charge.

Sofia, April 22—(AP)—The charge that Bulgaria is an armed menace to her neighbors, made recently in a series of articles in an Athenian newspaper, has been taken up by La Bulgarie, the official organ of the Bulgarian Foreign Office, in an article which gives some interesting figures regarding Balkan armaments.

The newspaper says that after her defeat Bulgaria turned over to the allied authorities 2,400 guns, 2,000 quickfirers, 750,000 rifles and 300,000,000 cartridges. It then gives the armed strength of the various Balkan countries as follows:

COMPARATIVE POWER.

Bulgaria, 24 infantry companies, 24 batteries, 12 squadrons of cavalry, 24 quickfiring companies, 3 engineering companies.

Greece, 126 infantry companies, 102 batteries, 12 squadrons of cavalry, 19 engineering companies, 126 quickfiring companies.

Serbia, 150 infantry companies, 144 batteries, 65 squadrons of cavalry, 150 quickfiring companies, 16 engineering companies.

La Bulgarie fails to point out the fact that not even a toy pistol can be brought into Bulgaria without the consent of a vigilant interallied military commission of control.

WARNS AGAINST BLACK POWDER

Washington, April 22.—A warning against "the continued use of black blasting powder in coal mines" was issued today by the interior department which said in the period from 1908 to 1923 black blasting powder or dynamite had caused 71 mine explosions with 867 fatalities.

PROTEST RATES OF C. B. & Q. RAILROAD

Springfield, Ill., April 22—The Chicago board of trade, in a petition filed with the Illinois Commerce Commission today, entered a complaint against the Chicago Burlington & Quincy railroad company as [illegible]

ROBB AGAIN HEAD HOLYOKE SCHOOL

Clinton, April 22—W. T. Robb of this city has received word from his son, Ralph Robb, that again he has been chosen head of the schools in Holyoke, Phillips county, Colorado, where he has served for five years.

Bootleggers Mobilize To Give New York High Class Service

BY ROBERT T. SMALL.

(Copyright 1924.)

NEW YORK, April 22—From present prospects it looks as if New York would be about as wet as the Atlantic ocean during the Democratic national convention.

The bootleggers of the metropolis seem to have gained the impression—of course they are wrong—that one reason the convention was voted to this city was because of the efficiency of the bootlegging trade.

PRIDE IN EFFORTS.

So they are taking no little pride in the arrangements they are making to care for what they believe will be a thirsty army descending upon these hospitable shores along about June 24 next.

The profession desires to show the delegates— and alternates — exactly what real high class bootlegging means. They expect above all things to amaze the pilgrims with the low prices which prevail in this market.

OPPOSE TRAFFIC.

Naturally the committee of arrangements for the conventions has had no truck with the bootleggers. The committee has received the guarantee of the hotels that they will not boost their prices in any way.

The New York hotels will not insist, as the Cleveland hotels are doing, that there shall be pay for three persons in a room regardless of how many occupy the chamber. Nor will the New York hotels insist upon a six or seven day contract. They say the delegates may come when they please and go when they please. Of course the local bonifaces know the democrats. They know the convention will last far more than any six or seven day period, so the contract idea would mean nothing.

NORMAL PRICES.

After committing the hotels, the committee set about to line up the restaurants. Here it was found that some had made plans to boost their rates during the democratic conclave. This prospective rise has been promptly squelched, however, and normal rates will prevail in all the eating places, cafeterias and restaurants included.

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GRACE EVANS WED

Vows in Monticello, Where They'll Live.

Monticello, April 22—Harry Jones and Miss Grace Evans, both of Monticello, were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Monday at the home of the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Amanda Jones on North Charter street. Rev. C. W. Monson performed the ceremony before a few relatives of the couple.

Mr. Jones is employed in the Rayecraft Drug store here and the couple will make their home for the present with his mother.

BLEDSOE-FAUGHT.

Miss Bertha Bledsoe and Wallace Faught of this city were married Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Christian parsonage by Rev. E. C. Harris. They will make their home for the present with the bride's mother, Mrs. Vica Bledsoe on East High street. The bridegroom is a farmer.

The ladies of the Christian church will have a dinner at the I. O. O. F. hall Wednesday April 23. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Haney and little son spent Sunday in Urbana the guests of Mrs. C. K. Tuthill and family.

Mrs. Mart McIntosh and daughters Mrs. Alan Anderson and Mrs. W. H. Richards spent Monday afternoon in Decatur.

Mrs. Minnie Mitchell spent Sunday in Urbana with her sister, Mrs. C. W. Propst.

Dan Pembroke, Mart McIntosh, James L. Allman and Dave Pembroke spent Sunday in Peoria.

MRS. A. R. MILLER OF VANDALIA DEAD

Vandalia, April 22—Mrs. A. R. Miller died at her home north of this city Sunday, after several weeks' illness. She leaves several children, one sister, Miss Lena Hinge, who recently returned from Colorado; one brother, Fred Hinge of St. Louis. The husband died several years ago.

A little daughter was born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Gersley in Massachusetts. The mother was formerly Miss Eugenia Perino.

Mrs. P. L. Quinn of Clifton Forge, Va., was a visitor here from Saturday to Monday, the guest of Mrs. H. F. Higgins and Mrs. G. F. Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gochenour of Duluth, Minn., are guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Gochenour.

Easter was observed at all the churches with special services. A pageant, "World's Service" was given at the Methodist church at night and a musical program by the choir and orchestra at the Lutheran. New members were added at Lutheran, Methodist and Christian.

William Myers and sisters Misses Carrie and Lyda of St. Louis, were guests of their cousin, Mrs. Charles Scarlett from Saturday to Tuesday.

Dell Edwards and family of Pana were guests Sunday of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Edwards.

MORRISONVILLE.

Misses Bertha and Zelma Klinger, who are attending the Wesleyan university at Bloomington, arrived home Wednesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Klinger.

Miss Alma Hardman was a visitor in Litchfield Thursday.

Miss Mary Manning came home from Urbana Thursday to spend the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Manning.

Owen Welch, who has employment at Belleville, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Welch.

Miss Bessie Reynolds of St. Louis arrived here Thursday to visit relatives.

Miss Nell Shull entertained the ladies of the Bridge club Thursday afternoon at her home.

Mrs. J. L. Kline was in Springfield recently visiting her son, Ross Kline.

Miss Ruth Williams of Granite City is the guest of her brother, Homer Williams and family.

Mrs. E. V. Kessler and daughter, Miss Hazel were in Litchfield Friday.

Charles Ryan was a business visitor in Springfield Friday.

Miss Mona Storm who is attending the University of Illinois came home Friday to spend the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Storm.

Mrs. Dr. A. Baisley was the guest of relatives in Springfield Friday.

Miss Vivian Dick accompanied by Miss Velma Clower, was in Litchfield Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Fansler.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Reynolds were in St. Louis Saturday.

Miss Lola Bradford came home from Springfield Saturday to spend the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bradford.

Sam Brown of Hillsboro spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Noterman.

Miss Luella Akins of Joplin, Mo., is spending several days with her brother, Tom Akins.

Miss Kate Murphy of Indianapolis, Ind., arrived Sunday for an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Murphy.

SOVIET EXPEDITION WILL SEEK POLE

Moscow, April 22—Popular imagination was stirred by Soviet Russia's decision to send an aerial expedition to plant the red flag alongside Peary's Stars and Stripes at the North Pole.

By an exclusive process cod-liver oil, the tonic-wealth of Norway's sunshine

SCOTT'S EMULSION

Linn & Scruggs

Decatur's Quality Store

A Special Purchase of

Beautiful Fancy Linens

In A Selling Event for Wednesday

Remarkable Maderias, Italian lace, Florentine, real linen Cluneys, Italian Moldava work, homespun linen sets, Spanish hand-embroidered sets, Spanish embroidery pillow cases, Venetian embroidery work, Spanish hand filet scarfs, chair backs and chair arms; also this lot includes many pretty scarfs, small ovals and oblong pieces, doilies and center pieces, napkins, luncheon cloths, luncheon sets, dresser sets, etc. All of these beautiful linens are splendid for wedding gifts, and a sale that comes at an opportune time for the bride-to-be.

Here Are Only a Few of the Remarkable Values:

Maderia Centers
Beautiful all-linen centers, carefully made, hand embroidered.
45-inch, $3.99
24-inch, $2.49
20-inch, $1.99

Italian Lace Scarfs
These are wonderful hand embroidered scarfs; you can hardly appreciate their beauty or their value until you see them; size 20x36.
$2.19 each

Maderia Scarfs
Beautiful scarfs, size 18x54-inch, that are worth much more than we are asking; these will make wonderful gifts.
$2.99 each

Cluny Scarfs
All linen, size 20x36 inches.
$2.99 each

Cluny Centers
All linen; 24x24 inches.
$1.99 each

Hand Embroidery Centers
These Spanish hand embroidered centers are all linen and are size 24 and round.
$2.69 each

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MILLIKIN OPENS AGAIN WEDNESDAY

Students Returning from Spring Vacation.

LECTURE TOMORROW

Dr. William Elder Speaks At 4:15 O'Clock.

Spring vacation at James Millikin university offically closes today, with classes at the local college being resumed at 8:00 Wednesday morning. Students were returning to their various fraternity and sorority houses Tuesday morning and some had arrived late Monday. It is expected that all J. M. U. ites will be back ready for the first classes after vacation. The double cut rule after vacation holds good this time as usual and all students who do not meet their first classes Wednesday will receive two cuts for absences.

The re-opening of the university leaves but a few short weeks of school and all the time is filled with activities of various sorts as well as a great amount of work that must be finished up before the final examinations in June. About six weeks more of school remains before the second semester finals. In addition to the regular school work there will be many events on the school calendar.

LECTURE TOMORROW.

The lecture by Dr. William Elder, who is the next speaker on the J. M. U. extention course, is the first event, coming Wednesday afternoon at 4:15. Dr. Elder is to speak at the Decatur and Macon County hospital today before the Medical Association and will remain in the city for the Millikin lecture.

SENIOR PLAY.

The next big event before the J. M. U. students is the senior play, to be presented May 8. Rehearsals for "Enter Madame" will be resumed at once under the direction of Mrs. June Fisher Miller who is coaching the play, and the advance ticket sale will start Wednesday. Exchange tickets will be sold first with the date for reservation to be announced later.

The two Glee Clubs of J. M. U. will give concerts, with the Men's club singing on a day previous to the senior play and the Girl's club giving their concert May 16. The latter concert is a revival of an event staged annually some time ago at Millikin. A great deal of interest is being taken in it. The men's concert is one of the features of the year at Millikin and is always looked forward to.

FOUNDERS DAY.

Founder's day plans have already been well under way. Dr. Robertson of Chicago is to make the speech in chapel on May 13. A number of other special plans are included for this day.

On May 23 the English Club at J. M. U. will bring Madame Myrna Sharlow for a special operatic concert. The recital is this year's event sponsored by the club for the maintenance of the Elizabethian study.

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GROTTO SHOW AT 8 O'CLOCK TONIGHT

Special Scenery and Costumes Ready.

A dress rehearsal Monday night of the dance acts under the supervision of the Misses Grace and Gladys Bowman, placed everything in readiness for the Zohak Grotto band concert and vaudeville show to be presented Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Decatur High school auditorium.

Weeks of practice have perfected the acts, special scenery and costumes have been provided for many of the acts and beautiful lighting effects have been worked out by John Steele, chief electrician at the Lincoln Square theater.

The advance ticket sale for the performance has been good and it may be that the performance will repeated at a later date.

RECOVER STOLEN CAR IN CHAMPAIGN

Ford Coupe Found in Cache With Eighteen Others.

Among the eighteen automobiles uncovered in Champaign recently as the result of the discovery of a cache of stolen cars that had been established there by an organization of auto thieves, a Ford coupe belonging to the Bender company of Decatur was recovered and returned to the Decatur company in good shape.

The cars found were mainly from towns in central Illinois, including Decatur, Peoria, Danville and Broadlands. In most cases the motor numbers had been defaced, but identification was finally accomplished. The American Anti-Auto Thief association was instrumental in recovering the stolen cars.

Released on Bond.

Frank Purdy, 2455 East William street, was released on bond Monday to appear for trial on a charge of drunk and driving his motor car while intoxicated. The complaint was made by John Riddle, rural route No. 5, who claims that Purdy, in order to pass a car ahead of him, drove far out around that car and ran into Riddle's car. The accident happened near Jasper and Condit.

MARY JANE DURNING DIES AT AGE 94

Had Lived in Macon County for 72 Years.

Mary Jane Durning, widow of James Durning, died Monday evening at her home in Mt. Zion. She would have been ninety-four years old in August. She had been in failing health for some time. Her death was due to complications incident to old age.

Mrs. Durning had lived in Macon county for seventy-two years, and for many years was one of the best known women in the county. She was one of the charter members of the First Presbyterian church, and she often told how she and her husband used to ride horseback to church from their home in South Wheatland township.

BORN IN KENTUCKY.

Mrs. Durning's maiden name was Mary Jane Nicholson. She was a sister of the late Jerry P. Nicholson, for a number of years sheriff of Macon county. She was born in Gerrard county, Ky., Aug. 28, 1830. She came with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Nicholson, to Macon county in 1852, the family settling in Long Creek township. She and James Durning were married Sept. 5, 1855. They moved to South Wheatland township, where they resided in a log cabin for a number of years. Later they resided near Mt. Zion, where Mr. Durning was engaged in farming for many years. On his retirement from active farm work Mr. and Mrs. Durning moved into Mt. Zion. He died there Jan. 11, 1910, and Mrs. Durning continued to reside there until her death Monday. She had many friends in the community and was held in high regard by all who knew her.

She is survived by two children, Charles M. Durning of Boulder, Colo., and Miss Stella Durning, who always made her home with her mother. There are five grandchildren, Orville R. Durning, Nina Mae Durning, Helen Durning and Mrs. Lee Glover of Decatur and Arthur C. Durning of Portland, Ore. There are two great grand-children, Richard Ford Durning and Gloria Ann Glover of Decatur.

ALBERT C. MATTHEWS.

Albert C. Matthews, formerly of Decatur, died Monday at his home in Indianapolis, according to word received by Decatur friends. He was sixty-four years old.

Mr. Matthews was in the fire insurance business in Decatur before moving to Indianapolis, where for a number of years he has been insurance examiner for Indiana and adjacent territory, with headquarters in Indianapolis. He is survived only by his wife, who was formerly Miss Blanche Gasaway, daughter of Mrs. W. H. Gasaway, 348 North Church street. Mrs. Matthews is one of the heads of the Teachers college in Indianapolis.

JURY DECLARES BABY BORN DEAD

Bernice Dotesh Still Held in Jail on Warrant.

The jury at the inquest over the body of the baby found dead on a pile of burning trash last Saturday morning in the back lot at 1037 East North street, returned a verdict Monday afternoon finding that the baby was dead when born, and that it was the illegitimate child of Bernice Datesh.

Mrs. Datesh was a witness and repeated her story, which has already been published. She hid the body in a paper box in the attic and later moved away. A tenant who moved into the apartment she vacated found the box, thought it was a package of garbage and threw it onto the trash pile.

The jury made no recommendation in its verdict as to what should be done with Mrs. Datesh, but individual members expressed the hope that her punishment would be made light as possible. She is still being held on the warrent charging her with concealing a dead human body, which is a misdemeanor.

DR. IVAN LEE HOLT AT UNIVERSITY CLUB

Will Make Address at Annual Dinner Thursday Evening.

Dr. Ivan Lee Holt, of St. Louis, will make the address for the annual dinner of the University club which will be held at the Y. W. C. A. building Thursday night at 6:30 o'clock.

Dr. Holt will talk on "The Age of Tutankhamen."

DALTON CITY.

Mrs. Andrew White and son Rufus of Decatur spent Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barrett.

George Wehmhoff spent Thursday here with his father, John Wehmhoff.

Marcella Dwyer and Ruth Couger were Bethany callers Wednesday.

Mrs. Elmer Nihiser and daughters Blanche and Bonnie were Decatur callers Wednesday.

Elmer Nihiser was a Lake City caller Wednesday.

Mr. Dickerson, Mr. Willard, Charles Reed, Lon Dinger and Art Orr were Mattoon callers Tuesday.

Paul Grounds was a Decatur caller Wednesday.

Misses Ona and Gertrude Wilson returned home Thursday to spend their Easter vacation.

Ruby and Lucille Lambden returned to Normal Monday after spending their Easter vacation with relatives and friends here.

William Delahunty of Champaign spent the last of last week with his mother, Mrs. Ella Delahunty.

Mrs. Susan Lands and Mrs. Bernice Trainer and son Junior of Dundas are visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Ekiss.

Miss Herritt Meide spent her vacation with Gertrude Wilson.

Jessie Craycroft spent Saturday and Sunday here with Ona Wilson and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Craycroft.

Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Wilson returned home Saturday after spending the week in Cedar Rapids, Ia.

Pearl Sutherland, Mary Hogan, Jennie Morrison were Decatur callers Saturday.

Lucy and Belva Burress and Leroy Wren spent Sunday evening with their sister, Mrs. J. A. Crum and family of Decatur.

James Vollmer and Frank Morrison returned to Decatur Sunday after spending the week-end with their parents.

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RADIO PROGRAMS

(Decatur Time)

CHICAGO STATIONS.

6:15—KYW (536). "Safety First" talk; talk by the Rev. D. J. McHugh.
6:45—WMAQ (447). Girls' week program.
6:55 to 7—WLS (345). Isham Jones orchestra.
6:55—KYW (536). Uncle Bob's bedtime story.
7 to 8—WGN (370). Dinner hour concert.
7 to 7:30—KYW (536). Congress hotel orchestra.
7 to 8—WDAP (360). Drake concert ensemble; Blackstone String quintet.
7—WMAQ (447). Babson report; Dental duo; talk on Hawaii.
7 to 8—WLS (345). Broadcasting Roxie and his gang. Capitol theater, New York City.
7:30—WDAP (360). Garden talk, A. L. Vaughan & Co.
8 to 8:30—KYW (536). Musical program, Stan Marbach, soprano; George Marbach, tenor; George Horne, baritone; Louis Puplo, violinist.
8—WMAQ (447). Literary talk; Americanization lesson.
8 to 8:30—WDAP (360). Barton organ recital.
8:30—WMAQ (447). La Salle orchestra.
9—KYW (536). Continuation of musical program.
9 to 11—WGN (370). Musical program.
9 to 9:30—WLS (345). Talks and music.
9:10—WMAQ (447). "The Platoon Plan of School organization," Prof. Charles H. Judd.
9:30 to 10—WMAQ (447). Lyon & Healy program.
9:30—WLS (345). Recital by student competition winners, Ruth Radkey, pianist; Mildred Ozne, soprano.
10—WDAP (360). Rosemary Hughes, F. W. Agarde, Yorie Worthley, Tom Malia and Jack Little; Chapman's orchestra.
10—WLS (345). McDonald Smith, tenor; Marian Regnace.
11—WLS (345). Midnight mardi gras by "In Bamville" company.

OUTSIDE STATIONS.

Silent night for WOR, Newark; WOO, WDAR, Philadelphia; WCAP, Washington; WGR, Buffalo; WCX, Detroit; WOC, Davenport.
6—WCX (517), Detroit. Concert.
6:30—WJAX (390), Cleveland. Talks; Lance orchestra.
7—CFCA (400), Toronto. Classical concert, Baptist church choir.
7 to 8—WMAK (360), Lockport, N. Y. Varied musical program.
7—WGR (360), Buffalo. Farm comedy entertainment.
7—WFI (395), Philadelphia. Credit Men's association banquet.
7 to 8:30—WOAN (263), Kalamazoo, Mich. Musical program.
7 to 9:30—WEAF (492), New York. Talks; recitals.
7—WRM (360), Urbana, Ill. Recital, pupils in School of Music.
7:35—KDKA (326), Pittsburgh. Concert by Nevin trio.
7:30—WWJ (517), Detroit. Concert.
7:30 to 9—WHAS (400), Louisville. Talks; musical program.
7:30 to 8:30—WBAP (476), Fort Worth. Vocal and instrumental.
7:30—WCAE (461), Pittsburgh. Classical concert.
8 to 10—WHB (411), Kansas City. Vocal and instrumental.
8—WRM (360), Urbana, Ill. Lecture; concert.
8—WSB (429), Atlanta. Orchestra.
8 to 9—WHB (411), Kansas City. Concert.
8—KSD (546), St. Louis. Artists' recital.
8—WHAA (484), Iowa City. "The Law as a Profession."
8:15—WRC (469), Washington. United States Army band.
8:15—WJZ (455), New York. United States Navy night.
8:30 to 11—WHN (360), New York. Popular musical program.
8:30 to 12—WTAS (285), Elgin. Concert.
8:30—WMC (500), Memphis. Eastern Star Glee club.
8:30 to 9:30—WFAA (476), Dallas. Pianologue.
8:45 to 10—WJY (405), New York. Pennsylvania duo.
9—WNAC (370), Boston. Concert.
9 to 10—WHB (411), Kansas City. Dance music.
9—WOAW (526), Omaha. Program by Omaha Elks.
9:10—WDAR (395), Philadelphia. Vocal and instrumental.
9:15—WJAN (288), Peoria. Concert.
9:35—CKAC (435), Montreal. Dance.
9:30—WJZ (455), New York. Dance.
9:30 to 10:30—WBAP (476), Fort Worth. Fort Worth Harmony club.
10—WJY (405), New York. Quartet.
10—WLW (309), Cincinnati. Concert.
10 to 11—KHJ (405), Los Angeles. Concert.
10 to 12—KHJ (396), Los Angeles. Vocal and instrumental.
10 to 12—KPO (423), San Francisco. Orpheus club of Oakland.
10—KGO (312), Oakland. Concert.
10:30—KDKA (326), Pittsburgh. Concert.
10:45—WSB (429), Atlanta. Concert.
11—WLW (309), Cincinnati. Hawaiian entertainers; novelty orchestra.
11 to 12—WFAA (476), Dallas. Concert.
11—WMC (500), Memphis. Frolic.
12 to 1 a. m.—KFI (640), Los Angeles. Concert program.
11:45—WDAF (411), Kansas City. Nighthawk frolic.
12—WLW (309), Cincinnati. Midnight orchestral program.
12 to 1 a. m.—KPO (423), San Francisco. Dance orchestra.

DOROTHY DALTON TO WED HAMMERSTEIN

Chicago, April 22—Dorothy Dalton, motion picture actress and former wife of Lew Cody, screen actor, and Arthur Hammerstein, stage impresario, previously married three times, plan to be married here today, they admitted last night.

"I came back home to be married," Miss Dalton said, "because I am an only child and I want mother and father to be there." Mr. Hammerstein, fifty-one, is the only son of the late Oscar Hammerstein and the father of Elaine, stage and screen actress.

Miss Dalton is thirty.

MUSSOLINI MADE CITIZEN OF ROME

Rome, April 22—Premier Mussolini was given the honorary title of "citizen of Rome" Monday morning at the Capitol, where ancient Rome used to celebrate its most important ceremonies. The same honor was conferred on Woodrow Wilson five years ago.

MEXICO CITY IS ROCKED BY QUAKE

Mexico City, April 22—(AP)—A severe earthquake shock lasting for one minute and twenty-six seconds rocked Mexico City.

I. A. A. PICNIC IN LINCOLN THIS YEAR

Horseshoe and Baseball Contests.

Sullivan, April 22—Save Aug. 27, 1924, for the annual Illinois Agricultural association and County Farm Bureau picnic. It is Lincoln this year and being centrally located and held at a time convenient for all to attend, it should attract the largest crowd of farm bureau folks that ever attended the state picnic.

As usual the state championship horseshoe pitching contest will be held and more entries are expected than ever before. Moultrie county has had a team in previous contests says C. C. Turner, farm adviser, and expects to show the rest of the state how "barnyard golf" is played this year.

BASEBALL, TOO.

It is very probable that the final game of the Illinois Farm Bureau Baseball league to decide the championship will be staged at the picnic as an added attraction. Box scores point to ever a dozen baseball teams in the league this year. Moultrie county expects to have a team.

SAYS PEPGEN IS GREAT APPETIZER

Mrs. W. A. McGlade, 944 N. Railroad Ave., Decatur, says:

"For several years I was tormented with indigestion. I took many different kinds of medicines without success. I dieted and gave up many favorite dishes but I failed to get relief. I had pains in my stomach that caused me to bend double. My appetite dwindled.

"A very good friend of mine recently said to me, 'why don't you take Pepgen?' Well, the more I thought about Pepgen the more I decided to try it.

"Finally I went to the Decatur Drug Co., and after consulting I took home a bottle. My appetite increased after the first dose. Before I had finished half my bottle I noticed the disagreeable bloating after eating had ceased.

"I was relieved of constipation, too.

"I heartily recommend Pepgen to people who are suffering as I did. No one appreciates a remedy like those who have tried it. Pepgen is surely a wonderful medicine and in the future I always intend to have a bottle for emergencies."

Pepgen has relieved hundreds of Decatur people of gas on the stomach, heartburn, bloated feelings, sour stomach, sick headaches, nervousness, pains in the back and habitual constipation. Why not you?

Pepgen is sold in Decatur only at the Decatur Drug Co. It may also be obtained at one leading drug store in every nearby town which may be known by a Pepgen sign.

"My Rheumatism is gone"

"There's glorious joy in knowing that most Rheumatism Cells cause Rheumatism, and that S.S.S. builds Blood-Cells."

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the wrong idea about rheumatism for 15 years. I didn't realize that increasing blood-cells had the effect of completely knocking out rheumatic impurities from the system. That is why I began using S. S. S.! Say what you will, I never knew such startling results were possible. Well, folks, besides knocking out my rheumatism it gave me back some of the strength I used to have way back! I've got a better color in my face, my appetite is dandy. I don't use my crutches any more. I'm walking around straight-up on two young legs!" S. S. S. makes people talk about themselves the way it builds up their strength. By building blood-cells it builds nerve strength for young folks who ought to have more, and for older people who have little. It stops pimples, boils, blackheads, eczema, chases away blood impurities. You can always rely on it. Start S. S. S. today for that rheumatism. You'll feel the difference shortly. S. S. S. is sold at all good drug stores. The large size is the more economical.

S.S.S. Reaches every part of the yourself system

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SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Ill., has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City as follows, to-wit:

That the roadway of North Broadway Street from the center line of Orchard Street north to the south line of Condit Street for the full width of twenty-eight feet between curbs, and including that portion thereof at intersecting alleys from the curb lines to the lot lines of North Broadway Street for the full width between curbs of sixteen feet, and also the portion thereof within the intersection with East Orchard Street for the full width of sixteen feet between center of East Orchard Street and curb, be improved by excavating, grading and preparing sub-grade, by placing thereon a five-inch Portland cement concrete foundation, consisting of one part Portland cement, three parts sand and six parts stone or gravel, a one-inch cushion of sand spread on the concrete foundation and a wearing surface of vitrified brick with asphalt filler and coating of dry, coarse sand; the necessary combination curb and gutter, brick catch basins, manholes, pipe drains; and necessary removal and relaying of sidewalks.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's office of said City, and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the fifth day of May, A. D., 1924, at the hour of nine o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Ill., this seventeenth day of April, A. D., 1924.

CHARLES T. REILAM,
Commissioner.

LEE BOLAND,
Corporation Counsel.

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The roadway of North Broadway Street from the north line of East Sangamon Street north to the center line of East Orchard Street for the full width of thirty-two feet between curbs, and including that portion of North Broadway Street at intersecting streets and alleys from the curb lines to the lot lines of North Broadway Street for the full width between center line of Orchard Street and curb of sixteen feet, and for the width between curbs of twenty-nine feet at King Street, twenty-eight feet at Marietta Street, and sixteen feet at each alley, by excavating, grading and preparing sub-grade, by placing thereon a five-inch Portland Portland concrete foundation of one part Portland cement, three parts sand and six parts stone or gravel; thereon a one-inch sand cushion and a wearing surface of vitrified brick with asphalt filler and a coating of dry, coarse sand; the necessary combination curb and gutter, brick catch basins, manholes, pipe drains, and necessary removal and relaying of sidewalks at intersecting streets, metal and relaying of manholes and grading of parkways, etc.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's office of said City, and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the fifth day of May, A. D., 1924, at the hour of nine o'clock a. m., or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

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HIS BROTHER'S WIFE

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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Dolly, a governess, married Nigel Bretherton for his money. The marriage proves an unhappy one. When war is declared Nigel is glad to enlist. He leaves Dolly in care of his best friend, Mary Furnival. Mary comes to live in Dolly's flat. Dolly tells Mary that she is sorry she did not marry a poor sailor named Robert Durham.

When word comes that Nigel has been killed in action, Dolly marries Robert in London and sails with him for America.

Nigel's older brother, David, calls to see Nigel's widow. He mistakes Mary for Dolly. Mary is ashamed to tell of Dolly's marriage, so lets David think that she is Nigel's wife. David goes from Nigel's home to call on an old friend.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

David stepped out on the path. He looked up at the dark face of the house, and a little reminiscent smile curved his lips.

"Yes—this is the house."

He paid and dismissed the man, and went up the steps to the front door.

By the light above the porch he glanced at his watch. It was nearly nine. He hesitated for a moment, then rang the bell.

After all, there were excuses for a late visit when a man had just returned to London after three years' absence. Fisher would not mind.

The maid who opened the door was doubtful if her master would see him. She took Bretherton's card reluctantly. After a moment a door of one of the sitting-rooms was flung open, and a man came eagerly into the hall.

"David, my dear old fellow!" He seized Bretherton by both hands and dragged him into the light. "I had no idea you were in England When did you land? Why didn't you let me know?"

"I only landed this morning. I have been nowhere, except—"

He broke off. A woman had followed Henry Fisher into the hall. She was golden-haired and beautifully dressed. Her eyes were bright with eagerness as they met David's.

"Oh, I am so glad to see you again! I couldn't believe it was you! But, oh, David, poor Nigel!"

They were in the drawing-room now, and Fisher had taken David's overcoat.

There was a little silence.

"I just couldn't believe it when we heard!" Dora Fisher went on, in a shocked voice. "One hears of men being killed at the Front every day, but it seems impossible that anyone we know could be amongst them. Oh, David, it must have been a shock!"

"Yes."

Something in her almost exaggerated pity jarred on him. He looked relieved when her brother came back to the room.

"I ought to apologize for such a late visit," David was saying, "but there were several matters I wanted to speak to you about."

He hesitated.

Dora sprang up from the deep chair where she was sitting; there was a little frown between her eyes.

"You mean that you want me to go away? You are horrid, when I haven't seen you for three years! I'll just give you half an hour—no more. And, David, you are going to stay the night, aren't you? It's too late to get down to Red Grange, and I simply won't let you go to a hotel!"

"If I am not in the way—" he began diffidently.

She laughed.

"We are only too glad to have you!"

She left them, shutting the door after her.

Fisher was mixing whisky-and-sods at a side table.

"It's good to see you, David," he said affectionately. "I only wish it might have been in happier circumstances. Poor Nigel!"

"I wanted to speak to you about him. Why didn't you tell me he was married?"

Fisher flushed a little.

"My dear chap, how could I? Nigel was so anxious to keep it back; seemed to think you'd be annoyed and cut down his allowance."

"Why should I have been annoyed?"

Fisher shrugged his shoulders.

"Well, his wife was hardly— you know what I mean."

David thought of the woman he had left alone in that empty flat, with the tears still wet on her face.

"Hardly what?" he asked, with curious inflection.

Fisher looked uncomfortable.

"Well, it's awkward to explain; but, if you must know, she wasn't the sort of woman Nigel ought to have married. She was an nursery governess, I believe, and she married him for what he could give her; there's no doubt about that. I only saw her once."

He pushed a whisky-and-soda across to his friend.

"What was she like?" David asked.

He took up the glass, holding it quizzically to the light. His manner was very quiet— almost disinterested.

Fisher shrugged his shoulders.

"Little auburn-haired thing— one of the doily sort."

"Auburn-haired?"

"Yes, reddish hair; quite young— about twenty-one, I should say. I had lunch with them soon after they were married. She didn't like me. Oh, no, she didn't say so; but she let me see it from her manner."

There was a little silence.

"Of course," David said then, "I must do something for her. Nigel had nothing except what I allowed him. I wanted to ask your advice."

Fisher raised his brows.

"She won't be a widow long, from what I saw of her," he said, rather curtly. "You needn't be sorry for her, David."

He tramped to a paper-strewn desk in a corner by the fire.

"I'll show you a photograph of her here somewhere. Nigel sent it to me when they were first married. Care for a look at it?"

Fisher rummaged in a drawer for a moment, then came back to where his friend stood.

"Here it is," he said.

CHAPTER X.

The Incriminating Photograph.

BRETHERTON took the photograph from his friend's hand, and half turned aside, bending nearer to the light.

There was a little silence; after a moment he looked round. "So that's Nigel's wife?" he said quietly.

"Yes." Fisher was bending over the paper-strewn desk. "Showy-looking girl, in a way," he went on casually. "And out for all she could get, I imagine." He glanced up apologetically. "You asked my opinion, didn't you?" he submitted.

"Certainly I did; thanks very much. May I keep this, or do you want it?"

"Keep it by all means."

Bretherton put the unmounted photograph in his pocket, and sat down in one of the big chairs by the fire; there was a little furrow between his brows.

"Did you ever go to my brother's flat?" he asked presently.

"No. He asked me, but I don't fancy his wife would have been any too pleased if I'd taken advantage of the invitation, so I never went. Mrs. Nigel has had a friend living there with her for some time now, I be-

"I'VE A PHOTOGRAPH OF HER HERE SOMEWHERE!"

lieve—since the war broke out."

"A friend?"

"Yes; I never met her, but Nigel told me—when he came to say good-by, poor lad—that his wife had made arrangements for a friend to stay with her during his absence."

"A friend of his, also?"

"I believe so: in fact, I know that it was. He spoke most affectionately of her. What was her name, now — Ferne— Furnival —a Miss Furnival. He gave me to understand that he had known her before his marriage."

"I see." There was a little pause. "And this lady— this Miss Furnival, is at the flat still, with my brother's wife?"

"I believe so, but I cannot positively say. I called once, just after we heard of poor Nigel's death, but there was nobody at home, and one does not like to intrude, so I have left things for you to see to."

He drew up a chair close to David's, and looked at him affectionately.

"It's good to see you again," he said.

"I'm glad to be home, too; there's no place like England, after all, say what you like. I'm going to settle at Red Grange now."

"Good! Nothing could please me better. David, you'll be wanting a wife."

Bretherton laughed.

"!! Good Lord, what next? I'm a born bachelor. No, I'd always thought Nigel and his sons should have the old place, and now he's gone—" He broke off, heavily, with an overwhelmingly realization of all that his brother's death really meant. Neither spoke for a few moments, then Bretherton roused himself with a half sigh.

"What am I to do with Nigel's widow?" he asked, rather constrainedly. "I'd ask her to come and keep house for me at the Red Grange if I thought she'd accept, but—"

Fisher laughed rather scornfully.

"Oh, she'd accept right enough; nothing would suit her better. She was always trying to get Nigel to ask you to allow them to live there; she fancied herself as a sort of Lady Bountiful, I can tell you. Don't suggest it, David; don't ask her. It will only be making a rod for your back."

"You think so?"

"I'm sure of it. She's not the sort of woman you could ever tolerate about the old place; she's—well, she's vulgar—she'd jar on you— the way she dresses, the way she talks. She smokes cigarets—"

Bretherton made a little gesture of disgust.

"She does a hundred and one little things like that," Fisher went on. "Harmless things in themselves, but they go against the grain all the same. Besides, you couldn't possibly have her down at Red Grange without some sort of a chaperon."

"You're forgetting Aunt Florence; she'll come back, of course, if I go. She's part of the old place; I couldn't imagine it without her. You remember her? She looked after us when we were youngsters."

"You mean Miss Varney? Of course I remember her."

"She was my mother's sister, you know."

David sat forward a little, staring into the fire and frowning.

"Nigel's wife would be all right there with Aunt Florence," he said again, hesitatingly. "I'm sorry for the girl, Monty, in spite of what you say. I feel that I have a sort of duty to her."

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For Wednesday, Dollar Day—We place on special sale upwards of 100 Tapestry Brussels rugs—27 by 54 in a great variety of new designs and colorings. Regular $1.50 to $1.75 values. Remember—Wednesday at Stewart's, sale price **$1**

Dollar Day

Bargains Greater Than Ever

Come Wednesday For These:

$2.50 Embroidered Crepe Gowns. $1

Another of Stewart's wonderful cash purchases and sales demonstrating our power and policy of underselling all competition. Wednesday we place on special sale upwards of 100 dozen women's beautiful hand embroidered crepe night gowns made of fine figured and plain crepes in all the dainty exquisite shades—actually $2 to $2.50 values—not over two to a customer—sale price **$1**

$1.75 Step-in Sets, $1 Women's and misses' regular $1.50 and $1.75 Step-ins and vests to match, made of fine dimities—all colors—sale price, each **$1**

$1.50 New Bloomers, $1 A wonderful assortment of women's and misses' new bloomers made of fine crepes, lingette, batiste and satine, knee and ankle lengths—sale price **$1**

$2 Kimonas for $1 Women's beautiful printed crepe Kimonas in light and dark colors, very prettily trimmed—a big Dollar Day special, sale price **$1**

Blouses Women's fine white dimity blouses in a variety of newest styles—a very exceptional bargain—regular $1.75 to $2 values, sale price, **$1**

Corsets Women's new wrap-a-round and Warners new girdle corsets—elastic tops and four hose supporters—sizes 23 to 28—sale price, **$1**

Dresses A wonderful assortment of boys' new play suits, and girls' new panty dresses. Satines, chambrays and ginghams, in sizes 2 to 6, $1.50 values, **$1**

Dresses Upward of 50 dozen children's new gingham dresses—new checks, plaids, and plain chambray dresses, sizes 6 to 12 years — regular $1.75 and $2 values, sale price, **$1**

Dresses Women's very pretty house dresses and apron dresses made of fine gingham, satines and percales, lights and darks, regular $1.75 to $2.50 values, all sizes Wednesday sale price, **$1**

Middies Children's regular $1.50 and $1.69 all white middies, long and short sleeves, braid trimmed, sizes 6 to 42—Wednesday sale price, **$1**

Prin. Slips Women's and misses' new beautiful Princess slips made of fine satines, black, blue and brown—bodice tops, regular $1.50, sale price, **$1**

Extra!

COATS

All our women's and misses regular $15 Coats Wednesday **$10**
All our women's and misses' regular $20 to $25 Coats, sale price, Wednesday **$15**
All our women's and misses' regular $35 to $45 Coats, Wednesday sale price **$25**

DRESSES

Women's and misses' all wool Jersey Dresses in all colors and sizes, worth $10, sale price, **$5**
Women's and misses' silk dresses, Crepe de Chine and Trico silk, worth to $20, at **$10**
Women's and misses' Silk, Satin and Crepe de Chine dresses worth up to $35. All sizes, sale price **$15**

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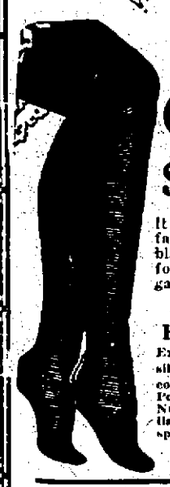

$2.50 Thread Silk Hose, Pair $1

It seems impossible, yet it's true we are selling women's full fashioned thread silk hose and fashioned hose; come in black, white, and all the new shades for spring. Also Chiffon silk hose in all the new shades with lisle foot and lisle garter tops. Worth $1.50, $2 and $2.50, Wednesday **$1**

79c Fiber Silk Hose, 2 Pairs, $1 Excellent quality of fiber silk semi-fashioned hose, come in Black, Beige, Pole, Log Cabin and Nude, with lisle foot and lisle garter tops and high spliced heels. Wednesday **2 Pairs, $1**

69c Women's Lisle Hose, 2 Pairs, $1 Regular 69c women's fine lisle hose, come in Black, Brown and White, all sizes, garter tops, double heels and toes, Wednesday **2 Pairs, $1**

39c Children's Lisle Hose, Regular 39c children's lisle ribbed hose. Foxy and Topsy brand, come in Black, Brown and White, all sizes 5 to 10. Double heels and toes. Wednesday only, Dollar Day **4 Pairs, $1**

50c Women's Union Suits, 3 for $1

Women's fine cotton union suits, spring and summer weight; low neck, no sleeves and loose knee; come in all sizes 34 to 44 Wednesday, 3 suits for **$1**

69c Women's Union Suits Women's fine lisle thread union suits, spring and summer weight, come in all styles. Wednesday **2 suits, $1**

69c Men's Athletic Union Suits Men's athletic union suits made of fine pajama checks, elastic back; come in all sizes 34 to 44. Wednesday **2 suits, $1**

$1.25 and $1.50 Women's Union Suits Women's fine lisle thread union suits, come in Carter make, all sizes, a real bargain for Wednesday, Dollar Day **Suit, $1**

$1.50 Men's Union Suits Men's fine lisle ribbed union suits, spring weights, short and long sleeves and ankle lengths — all sizes, 34 to 46. Wednesday **Suit, $1**

25c Hope Muslin, 7 yds. $1

20c quality unbleached muslin, 8 yards **$1**
45c bleached pillow tubing, 3 yards for **$1**
65c Cotton Batts, White Rose, qual. 2 **$1**
65c 9-4 sheeting, full width, 2½ yards **$1**
49c yard wide French Nainsook, 3 yards **$1**
35c Eng Nainsook full yard wide, 4 yards **$1**
25c yd wide Eng Lining Cloth, 5 yard bolt **$1**
45c 8-oz feather proof bed ticking, 3 yds **$1**
20c bleached or unbl. crash, 7 yards **$1**
29c all linen Crash toweling, 5 yards **$1**
69c bl'chd. mercerized tbl. Damask, 2 yds **$1**
35c Turkish Towels, double warp, 4 for **$1**
$1.25 sanitary feather bed pillows **$1**
$1.39 all linen cream table linen, a yd. **$1**
$1.35 Japanese lunch cloths, fast colors, **$1**
25c full yd wide percale, 7 yards for **$1**
29c light and dark cam. percale, 6 yds. **$1**
$1.25 round & square table cloths, each **$1**
22c Apron ginghams, all size checks, 7 yd **$1**
30c Crotonne, guaranteed fast cols, 5 yd **$1**
30c Everett Cheviot shirting, 5 yards **$1**
18c plain white outing flannel, 8 yards for **$1**
35c Pillow Cases, all sizes, 4 for **$1**

Wonderful Bargains in Dress Goods for Dollar Day

65c FRENCH GINGHAM, 3 YARDS ..... $1 For Wednesday selling upwards of 1500 yards of 32 inch Imported French Gingham. All new styles.

65c BEACH CLOTH, 2 YARDS ..... $1 For Wednesday 15 pieces of 36 inch Beach Cloth, guaranteed fast colors and full mercerized. All colors.

65c RATINES, 2 YARDS ..... $1 For Wednesday, 10 pieces of 36 inch fast color Ratines for dresses, etc. Colors are Copenhagen, Coral, Green, Gray, Helio, Blue Jay, Rose, Pink, Tan, White.

59c SOISETTES, 2 YARDS ..... $1 For Wednesday, 25 pieces of 32 inch Soisette, highly mercerized finish, soft pongee touch, for dresses, blouses, skirts and draperies, all colors.

65c SILK TISSUES, 3 YARDS ..... $1 For Wednesday, 500 yards of 32 inch Tissue ginghams, in a host of many checks, plaids and stripes, guaranteed fast colors.

35c ZEPHYR GINGHAMS, 4 YARDS ... $1 32 inch, very fine quality Zephyr dress ginghams, all new snappy spring styles.

$1.50 SHIRTING SILKS ..... $1 New 36 inch Shirting Silks, all white grounds with neat, pretty silk stripes.

25c DRESS GINGHAMS, 7 YARDS ... $1 32 inch Standard Dress Ginghams, medium and dark colors in checks and plaids.

59c POPLIN, 2 YARDS ..... $1 For Wednesday, 20 pieces of 28 inch Silkized Poplins, good firm heavy cord effect for dresses, rompers, waists, etc., all colors fast.

$1.25 SILK TUBING ..... $1 Silk Tubing for lingerie purposes. Colors are white, pink, and orchid.

$1.25 JAPANESE PONGEE ..... $1 All silk imported Pongee, the 12 Momme kind in natural color for dresses, blouses, skirts and draperies.

$1.25 WOOL CREPE ..... $1 40 inch quality wool crepe, for dresses, blouses, etc., colors are black, navy, brown, tan, green and white.

$1.25 and $1.50 Kayser Silk Gloves, $1.00 Warranted finger tips, all the new shades for spring—come in two button styles, all sizes, Wednesday sale price, a pair **$1**

SOAP SPECIALS

Wednesday only we will sell and deliver with other $1 purchases:
15 bars P. & G. Laundry Soap,
5 bars Maple City Laundry Soap,
1 box Wash Powder
1 bar Ivory Soap,
1 galvanized Pail;
All For **$1**

105 Pairs Ladies' Black Kid Strap Slippers

Of soft kid. Flexible soles and low heels with rubber heels attached, sizes 3 to 8, regular $1.50 values Wednesday only at **$1.00 PER PAIR**

300 Pairs of Youth's, Boys' and Men's Sport Shoes

With rubber sole brown and black trim, sizes run from youths' sizes, 9 to men's sizes, regular $1.50, $1.75 values, Wednesday only at **$1.00 PER PAIR**

$2.50 Omar Pearls $1

Omar Pearls, guaranteed indestructible; 24-inch strand; gold-filled clasp; special sale price for Wednesday only, a strand

$2 MEN'S Fancy Shirts $1

Men's fancy percale dress shirts, all new patterns with French cuffs, price **$1**

$1.50 Black Boston Bags come in 14 and 15 inch, Wednesday, each **$1**

WONDERFUL ALUMINUM BARGAINS

Stewart's Basement

$1.50 Aluminum Double Boiler
$1.50 Aluminum Dish Pans
$1.25 Aluminum Water Pails
$1.25 Aluminum Roaster
$1.25 Aluminum Pudding Pans, set of
$1.00 Aluminum Preserving Kettle
$1.00 Aluminum Percolator
$1.00 Aluminum Colander
79c

See our line of Aluminum—Special for **49c**

$2.00 Heavy Guage Aluminum Percolator
$2.00 Heavy Guage Aluminum Tea Kettle
$2.00 Heavy Guage Aluminum Double Boiler
$2 10-qt. Heavy Guage Aluminum Water Pail
$2.00 12-qt. Heavy Guage Aluminum Dish Pan
$1.89 Heavy Guage Large Aluminum Roaster
$1.69 Heavy Guage Aluminum Water Pitcher
$2 8-qt Heavy Guage Aluminum Preserving Kettle
$1

BIG BASEMENT BARGAINS

$2 Sandwich Plates Special for Dollar Day—100 beautiful Silver Plated Sandwich Trays. Regular $2.00 values. For Wednesday only, 98 long as they last, each **$1**

$1.50 Boys' grey sweater coats; come in all sizes, Wednesday sale price ... **$1**
$1.39 Grey granite combinets. Special for Wednesday, each **$1**
89c Grey granite dish pans 14 quart size, Wednesday, 2 for **$1**
89c and **79c** Galvanized bath tubs, Wednesday, 2 for **$1**

UP TO $2.00 BOYS' PANTS $1.98 and $2 Wool and Corduroy knee pants—some in plain and fancy weaves, Wednesday, a pair **$1**

PAINT

Inside Paint for floor and woodwork; half-gallon **$1**
Floor and woodwork Varnish; half gallon **$1**
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PLAYGROUNDS ARE TRIPLED IN STATE

Increase from 79 to 276 in 9 Years.

Springfield, April 22.—Cities of Illinois have more than tripled the number of playgrounds and recreation centers during the last ten years, bettering the record for the entire United States by fourteen percent, according to questionnaire returns compiled by the Playground and Recreation Association of America.

From a total of seventy-nine playgrounds in 1913, private and municipal effort has increased these facilities to 276 safe health and character building havens for young people, children and adults.

IT HAD SYSTEMS.

"In 1913, only fourteen cities reported playground systems," the report said. "Today, twenty-three cities have progressive recreation programs and three others—Springfield, River Forest and Alton—voted to create playground systems at the elections April 7 last. A large number of other cities are voting on similar measures at coming elections.

"Much credit for this development is given by these recreation systems to the assistance of the Playground and Recreation Association of America which, since 1906, has been helping United States communities secure these civic advantages.

MUCH TO BE DONE.

"That there is still much work of this nature to be done in Illinois, however, is pointed out by the Association, for while the state record to date has been good, there are still 63 cities of 5,000 population or over in the state which do not have playground and recreational facilities.

"The total expenditure for recreation by cities in this state was $2,113,215.83—almost double the New York state expenditure, which was $1,074,959.19. In addition, Illinois cities subscribed $2,225,355.52 in bonds for recreation purposes, thirteen times the bond issues for the same purpose in New York state.

UNCLE OF MAROA WOMAN IS DEAD

Maroa, April 22—Miss Minnie Kempshall received a telegram Monday from New Britian, Conn., stating that her uncle, Charles Kempshall died there following a long illness. He was a brother of the late John and Albert Kempshall. He was about seventy-five years of age. Another brother, W. F. Kempshall is ill at his home in Taylor, N. D.

Lawrence Weaver and wife were called to the northern part of the state by a telegram stating that Mrs. Weaver's mother had died. They left Monday to attend the funeral.

H. P. Grady has purchased a new Ford coupe.

Special Easter services were held at all the churches Sunday.

Miss Lucile Shipley was home from Assumption over Sunday.

J. M. Rolofson purchased the property he occupies south of the school house at master in chancery sale in Clinton Saturday, the price being $2,000. The property was part of the estate of his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Potter returned home Saturday evening from Monrovia, Cal., where they spent the winter with the family of their son, Bruce. The latter expects to drive through with his family in June.

MYSTERIOUS CAUSE TURNS CAR OVER

Effingham, April 22—Saturday afternoon, G. F. Taylor, a prominent attorney of Effingham, made a trip to his farm near Watson. Coming back he brought Mrs. Harry Loy to town to make a train to Champaign, where she was to visit.

They were driving along at a moderate rate of speed, when suddenly without any warning or apparent cause, the car turned completely over, demolishing the wind shield and top of the car, and in fact completely wrecking the car. The car landed right side up on all four wheels.

Ed Ruffner and Ed Siddens came along, Mr. Ruffner taking Mr. Taylor home and Mr. Siddens taking Mrs. Loy home.

UNCONSCIOUS.

Mr. Taylor was dazed or unconscious for four hours. He was cut on the left cheek and on his knees and bruised on the forehead and shoulders. Mrs. Loy was cut on the face and the knee and hip were bruised.

CAUSE IS MYSTERY.

It is somewhat of a mystery how the accident happened. In looking over the ground or pavement there was found a piece of hooked iron. There had been a junk dealer hauling old iron over the road shortly before. It is supposed that this piece of iron got caught in the spokes of the front wheel, binding it. Three spokes of one of the front wheels were broken out. This is the only cause that could be found for the accident.

LAKE CITY.

Mrs. James Harsh and daughter Alberta of Sullivan spent Friday and Saturday with Leroy Baker and family.

Mrs. Joe Brobard was a Decatur visitor Friday.

Victor Connour has a new Ford sedan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Winings of near Bethany were guests of Mr. and Mrs Henry Watson Saturday.

Mrs. Ada Ault spent the latter part of the week with relatives in Decatur.

Roy Dickson and family visited Bud Woodall and family near Arthur Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Miller of Bethany visited O. L. Snow and family for several days.

Charlie Baker has a new Ford touring car.

Rev. J. M. Judy of Decatur filled his appointment at the Methodist church Sunday afternoon.

Leon Adams of near LaPlace visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Helen Baker spent several days of last week at Sullivan with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Harsh.

Among the Decatur visitors Saturday were Rush Weeks and family, Mrs. John Cripe, Misses Ruth and Viola Cripe, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clark, Miss Essie Howell and T. F. Winings and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Moehn spent Easter Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Rose Moehn, at Waynesville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Winings and son Virgil of near Todd's Point were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Watson Sunday.

Roy Wilt and family spent Sunday in Decatur with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Wilt.

Mrs. Ona Mitchell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Laurence Lindsay, in Decatur this week.

A number from here attended the revival at La Place Sunday night.

John Powell is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Butts, who were injured when struck by an auto about a week ago, are recovering.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Winings and daughter Maude and Miss Essie Howell visited Hubert Howell and family near Findlay Sunday.

LITTLE FOLKS RULE CAPITAL FOR DAY

Hold Egg-Rolling Event At White House.

BY WILLIAM C. LYON.
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Washington, April 22—Washington belonged to the little folks yesterday.

On every other day of the year, father, grandfather and uncle—and in recent years mother, grandmother and auntie—hold sway. But Monday the grown-ups stood aside for the tots. It was their day, so recognized by everybody from the president down.

ANNUAL EVENT.

Monday was the day of the annual egg-rolling on the south lawn of the White House. At 9:30 o'clock the big iron gates at the east and west entrances to the south grounds—gates seldom opened—were thrown wide to the little folks.

In they trooped, lords of all they surveyed, accompanied by parents, nurses or guardians, whose sole claim to the few inches of ground they were permitted to occupy was the fact that they grasped the hand of some young hopeful.

HENTON ELECTS TWO ON SCHOOL BOARD

Henton, April 22—An election of the Ridge township community high school district was held Saturday, April 19, at the school house in Westervelt for the purpose of electing two members of the board of education to take the place of Lawrence Smith and C. C. Jenkins.

Four men were running for the office, which was hotly contested and a very large vote was cast. Dan Smith and Mr. Barnett being elected by a few votes.

Charles Manning of Wyoming was called here last week by the death of his father, A. M. Manning.

The pupils of the advanced room of school gave an Easter party Friday night. Refreshments were served.

Glen Brownback of the University of Illinois spent the Easter holidays at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Brownback.

Jack McGuar, Sr., was a business visitor in Shelbyville Saturday.

Hesse Engle has a new car.

DAILY CHRONICLE STONINGTON EVENTS

Stonington, April 22—Miss Nora Sullivan of Decatur spent the week-end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Sullivan.

Bernard Livergood of Notre Dame, Ind., arrived Saturday morning for a four days' visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Livergood.

Miss Ella Ebert of Chicago spent Sunday here visiting relatives.

Jesse Shrout of the University of Illinois spent his Easter vacation here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Shrout.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Allbright and son James of Clarksdale visited here Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Sullivan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Leach and daughter Helen of Chicago visited relatives here Sunday.

Misses Mildred Dwyer and Beatrice Doyle were in Taylorville Saturday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Doyle spent the week-end at her home in Urbana, Ill.

Mrs. Frank Shields of Decatur is visiting at the C. A. Hurlbutt home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Mahoney of Clinton, Ill, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gleeson Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Gray was in Decatur Monday.

Miss Verna Buckmire was in Taylorville Saturday.

G. E. Lowry was a business visitor in Chicago over the week end.

Miss Louise Prichard spent the week end in Centralia, Ill. visiting friends.

WINS AT BALL.

The Mt. Auburn baseball team played against the Stonington team here Sunday afternoon. Mt. Auburn won 8-4.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hardy and daughter Ellen of Taylorville visited at the John Burke home Sunday evening.

Miss Hope Markwell of the University of Illinois is spending her Easter vacation here with relatives.

Mrs. Irvin Larrick and Mrs. A. R. Kincaid were Taylorville shoppers Saturday.

Miss Margaret Masset was in Taylorville last Monday.

LINCOLN MAN DIES FROM OFFICER'S SHOT

Springfield, Ill., April 22.—Burce Thompson, shot by night Policeman Otto Seitz, at Lincoln, Ill., died at midnight Monday at St. Clare's hospital in Lincoln. The shooting followed a fight in which Thompson, his brother, Ben Thompson, and a nephew are said to have attacked the policeman.

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For a Better Decatur

THE REVIEW'S PROGRAM.

Roads.
Parks and Play Grounds.
A Forest Preserve.
Railroad Problems.
Better School Facilities.

COLLEGE AT SPRINGFIELD

Several Springfield citizens are getting enthusiastic over the notion their town must have a university. If they continue to feel this way about it, the chances are they will not be denied. They are numerous and many of them are pretty well fixed with the wherewithal.

The Bloomington Pantagraph in discussing this matter raises the question as to whether central Illinois is not at the saturation point in schools of higher learning. It mentions these as the institutions we now have:

"Wesleyan in Bloomington, Bradley in Peoria, Millikin in Decatur, Illinois college at Jacksonville, Knox and Lombard at Galesburg, Lincoln college at Lincoln, Blackburn at Carlinville.

As pointed out in the Pantagraph, "this does not take any account of the state supported normal schools, nor of the University of Illinois." But these institutions take care of the educational longings of a great many students.

On top of this, there are many young people in central Illinois who go to other states for college courses, and this number appears to be increasing in place of diminishing.

However, a large attendance is reported at nearly all of these schools here and in other states. It must be that many are taking on a feeling there is no "saturation point." If a town has the price, there is no way to hold it back. And it may be also that a continuing multiplicity of schools is needed to provide an outlet for activities of an increasing percentage of the graduates.

If the time ever comes when there is a slump in college attendance, there will be a lot of fatalities to report. But, as everybody now views this situation, the prospect is for an increase in place of a slump.

GET MORE THAN WE PAY FOR.

There is the story that $100,000 a year is lost by the Wabash railroad on its dining cars. Patrons who go into these diners and view the prices find it difficult to believe there can be any loss at the end of the year.

But in these matters one never can tell much by the scale of prices. There is that old tavern keeper in the West who complained that his place was not making money even though the charge for supper, lodging and breakfast was $50.

Probably the man in charge of a Wabash diner hit on the explanation when he said he had a plant that cost $50,000 and they were serving only 100 meals a day.

A plant of this cost can't be made to pay on 100 meals a day. And yet railroad people feel they must keep on with this service. It is a big accommodation to many travelers; if they can't have it on one road they will take another where it is furnished.

However, the next time you go into a diner and pay to stiff price for a meal, don't be too handy with complaints. It may make you feel better to reflect the railroad company is giving you the service for a great deal less than it costs.

The company can't charge cost price for this service; it would be so high as to drive away all patronage. This whole thing wears many of the aspects of an impossible situation; it may prove to be just this, and if so it will in time get supplanted by something else.

CAN'T LAST LONG AT THIS RATE

A story from Japan indicates that that country is killing its women in factories. The situation now is much worse than it was under the old regimes, that is before the time that Japan became "modern."

In Japanese factories are 525,000 women workers, and of these 116,000 are not 16 years old; it is thought 20,000 are not yet 12. They work twelve hours a day and longer. The living conditions are anything but fair; in many plants they subsist by swarm.

As many as 200,000 women leave the factories a year; some go home ill, others take to the streets. Tuberculosis is frightfully prevalent.

The story comes out of Japan, and the picture is about as bad as could be drawn. This being the price that Japan is paying for "modernity," one is forced to the conclusion that after a while longer the country will find itself in a general breakdown.

THOROUGH AND PROMPT.

There is a story from Piatt county that two men were drunk in a car on the hard road highway, that they were doing about 40 miles an hour, zig-zagging and weaving all over the road, that finally they got into trouble and tore down fences on both sides before they came to a halt.

Piatt county authorities are said to have been considerably exercised by this exhibition of irresponsibility and recklessness. We are curious to know what the authorities will do about it.

It is something that must be taken off these highways, and the best time to begin is right at the start. Possibly lawyers will not agree as to the extent of authority invested in officials who look out for our safety; and still it remains true that something worth while needs to be done promptly every time an infraction of the kind arises.

If the facts in this case in Piatt county are as reported, we look to authorities in that bailiwick to keep these fellows off the road the rest of their natural lives.

This isn't something that will wait for adjustment. On the other hand it is a thing that must be handled with thoroughness every time it comes up. There is a belief that people of the state will back authorities in doing this.

GREAT OUTDOORS PEOPLE.

Just now from one corner and another we are hearing a good deal about the need of outdoor recreation. There is a move to organize the whole thing, consolidate and coordinate it, see that we get the best out of it.

It occurs to one it is a large undertaking to organize and direct in any measure the outdoor activities of people of this country. There is a great deal of this outdoor life at all seasons when the weather permits; there is so much of it that one leans to a feeling it must for the most part do its own organizing, each fellow for himself.

Just now we have 15,000,000 automobiles in the United States, and these at a loading can care for 75,000,000 people. Not all of them go loaded, and in many instances it is because the drivers can't pick up somebody to go along.

And then there are other millions who get outdoors to watch athletic games. On top of this we have other millions who do their work in the open. The art of walking may be disappearing, but this doesn't mean that people stay home much of the time.

It must be that we are the greatest outdoor people in all the world. There is more of this now than in the primitive times when they didn't have houses. And a very large part of our outdoor life comes clearly under the head of recreation. In it there is also infinite variety.

In a word, this seems to be something that is showing an ability to take care of itself.

NEED SOME PARTICULARS.

A short press dispatch informs us that the federal trade commission has issued an order against the Eastman Kodak company, to break up its "alleged monopoly of the motion picture film industry."

We would like to know a little more about this move. Who are the complainants in this case? It is sure that those of us who view the films haven't bothered ourselves to worry about the Eastman people. They may be pirates, but we had not heard of it.

It is recalled that a few years ago some federal authorities tried their hand at saving the country by breaking up the Standard Oil company into smaller bits. Much noise was made about this at the time, and there was great and premature rejoicing among the saviors. But the public that pays the bill has never been able to see that anything of consequence was accomplished.

It is among the possibilities that the Eastman company has what to some looks like an "alleged monopoly" just because it furnishes a high-class service at rates that other companies can't meet. If this is the situation, it won't improve matters to "break up" the Eastmans.

OF COURSE IT HAD TO COME.

It is generaly reported that Senator Wheeler is now against what he calls "100 per cent gossip" from witnesses before the probes in Washington.

Of course it is widely reported and observed that if Senator Wheeler is taking this stand, he has experienced a sudden and extensive change of heart. He is the man who only a short while since said to a witness: "Well, let us have the gossip."

But of course that style of procedure had to change. The law and the courts have a rule that hearsay won't do, and we can be sure they have this rule just because it was found necessary.

Mob investigations are all gossip and hearsay. It didn't take a great while to learn they are not lovely.

He Can't Be Presented Until He's Presentable

In the country are 140,000 people who want to pay their way to New York to look on while the Democratic national convention makes history.

A first line tells us that strawberries are coming to town by the carload, and the second line takes all the joy out of us by mention of 25 cents a pint.

A special train is carrying 250 Chicago club women to Washington to have a look at the cabinet. It surely pays to advertise.

And we suspect that some of the people who wore furs enjoyed the Easter parade as much as those who wrestled with shivers.

It seems that California objects to fumigation at the border line, and it may have to beat up Arizona to escape the indignity.

The offense of speeding continues to be quoted right along at $18.40, which makes us feel the supply and demand are coordinating.

Yes, the girls we had sixty years ago were the grade and quality that looked mighty sweet in spite of that headgear you look on as monstrous.

A girl was the first of the season to swim across Lake Decatur; it may be necessary to throw some man in if we are to hold our standing.

It rained on both sides of Easter, but held off that day, so one guesses the next seven Sundays will be the kind people can use.

Dan O'Leary is all right all the time and we were glad to see him especially as we got his number by the time he got to town.

One judges after reading J. C. Royle's articles on building, that the cement business must be fine in 1924.

Little Benny's Notebook

THE MOVIES.

Some peeple like to cry wen they go to the movies, espeshilly ladies, but the trubble with most picktures is, they aint funny enuff, sutch as love picktures and travel pictures showing diffrent natives living alone with their scenery. But meny peeple would rather see 2 moving picktures acters kissing each other than 2 throwing pies at each other, prevving you cant please everybody at the same time.

The ony fxciting part about a love pickture is the fite, generlly ending by the villin choking the hero till he is allmost ded and then the hero suddenly giving the villin a fearse crack in the jaw just in time. Sometimes the hero is ony a small skinny guy wile the villin is as big as anything, probably hiring the better ax

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.
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THE OTHER FELLOW.

Who is it always hogs the road?
The other fellow.
Who drives as though he had a "load?"
The other fellow.
Who is it motorists declare
For others' lives seems not to care,
And is a menace everywhere?
The other fellow.

Who turns the corners much too fast?
The other fellow.
Who never waits to let us past?
The other fellow.
Who is it of the motor throng,
Day in and out and all year long,
In every case, is in the wrong?
The other fellow.

Who causes all the accidents?
The other fellow.
Who ought to have much better sense?
The other fellow.
Who should the traffic rules obey
Or have his license stripped away,
Be sent to jail and make to stay?
The other fellow.

Who is an idiot and a fool?
The other fellow.
Who violates the simplest rule?
The other fellow.
Yet when you find a twisted frame,
And stop to ask what caused the same
Who does the other fellow blame?
The other fellow.

the hero in real life but not in the movies.

The most comfortable way to see a love pickture is to go to sleep during the love part and wake up jest in time for the fite and then quick go out before the hero has time to grab a hold of the gerl to kiss her for the end of the pickture. The ony danger being you mite not wake up unless you have somebody with you to poke you in the sides and say, Hey, theyre fighting.

The most fxciting thing to do at a movie is to slap and yell wile help is coming in a automobeel to rescue somebody that needs it like enything, because even if you dont fxpect the peeple in the movie to heer you, you can heer yourself, being even better.

All fellows who brush their hair back flat and sticky and all gerls irregardless of how they look think they would make grate movie acters.

The man at the piano sees all the movies he wunts to and also all he dont wunt to, proving there is no sutch a thing as enuff without too mutch.

LEE PAPE.

ANOTHER CHANGE IN LIQUOR DECISION

Lawyers Surprised At Negative Statement Commission.

Decatur lawyers were surprised in reading over the printed decision of the supreme court in liquor cases when it failed to find the clause which makes it necessary to state in an indictment for possessing liquor that the liquor was not possessed by virtue of any license or permit or physician's prescription.

That clause was contained in copies of the decision received by Decatur lawyers a month or two ago and under that decision, indictments for possessing liquor returned by a recent grand jury were held to be faulty. The printed copies just received do not contain that clause. Whether it was omitted purposely or by error is not known. In future, to be on the safe side, state's attorneys will doubtless be careful to so word their indictments that they will be found valid in case of another ruling by the court.

CROSSES ATLANTIC FOR 276TH TIME

New York, April 22—J. H. Hargreaves, octogenarian, completed his 276th crossing of the Atlantic when the Baltic arrived from Liverpool Monday.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY IN DECATUR

APRIL 22, 1914.

Bowen, Bowman and Johnson, a Decatur firm, had leased Dreamland Park for the coming season and planned to conduct it as an amusement park. It was the first time in three years the park had been put in use.

Wabash shopmen made an agreement with the management for a nine hour day at the "back shops" and an eight-hour day with three shifts at the roundhouse.

Local grain quotations on corn were 61 cents; wheat, 78 cents; oats 39 cents.

Edward Wade, age eighty-two years, resident here about fifty-seven years, died. He was a nurseryman and lived northwest of the city many years.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

Decatur high school won its first baseball game of the season from Sullivan, 11 to 5. Some of the Decatur players were Corey Wilkins, Joe Williamson, Clifford Spies and Paul Armstrong.

About seventy-five of the older folks of the Cumberland Presbyterian church attended an Old Folks' social.

The first straw hat appeared on the streets.

Mrs. Joe Starr and daughter, Mrs. James Durfee, went to Los Angeles, Cal.

The Musical Culture club gave a special program for President's day. Professor Kaeuper gave a piano selection composed by himself.

M'CORMICK FORCES PROTEST LOST VOTE

Chicago, April 22—The value of a single vote in a closely contested race for the Republican senatorial contest was stressed Monday by watchers for Senator Medill McCormick at the official canvass of votes which will be needed to determine wheather Senator McCormick or former Gov. William Deneen who had a lead in unofficial returns, has secured the nomination. One precinct had its 118 votes distributed as follows: Deneen 93; McCormick 23; Jenkins 1; total 117. To determine what happened to the other vote, the McCormick watcher asked that the precinct officials be brought before the board of election commissioners. The matter will be decided later.

90,000 REFUGEES FLEE STARVATION

Copenhagen, Denmark, April 22—A dispatch via Helsingfors declares 90,000 inhabitants of the Ukraine, Crimea, and the north Caucasus are fleeing from a famine northward along the railways to better districts. The societs cannot do anything to meet the famine. They have sent soldiers against the refugees, who recently stopped and robbed a mail train at Batajsk.

FORT WAYNE HAS 4.7 INCHES SNOW

Fort Wayne, Ind., April 22—A snowfall of 4.7 inches was registered at the local weather bureau Monday breaking all records for this time of year. The previous record fall was on April 4, 1920, when 4.1 inches was recorded.

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The Story Of Decatur

By E. T. Coleman

CHAPTER 142.

THE HAWORTH CHECKROWER.

A Timely Invention Causes Great Manufacturing Business To Spring Up Like Magic.

Any story of the middle period of Decatur history that attempts no more than to touch the high lights must inevitably mention the Haworths, the father and three sons. They were prominent as inventors, manufacturers and upbuilders of the city during the entire time of their activity here. The Haworth checkrower by which they are best known had a tremendous influence in making corn the king of American agricultural products and the manufacture of this device made these men rich and gave Decatur its first real impetus as a manufacturing city.

The checkrower was a Haworth invention and the first of its kind. It reduces the time of corn planting by half as compared with the two horse planter which preceded it. It reduces the human labor by two thirds and the cost of planting by three-fourths. It revolutionized corn growing. The device is now universally used in the great corn belt.

FROM OHIO.

The Haworths consisted of Mahlon Haworth, the father, and the three sons, Lysander L., George D. and James W. They came to Illinois from Port William, Clinton county, Ohio. They came to Illinois in 1853, settling at Mechanicsburg. Later they moved to Decatur where Mahlon Haworth was engaged in the grain business for a number of years and several of the sons were associated with him. George D. Haworth was the inventor of the checkrower. It was no lucky accident but the result of years of thought and experiment. The story is authoritatively told as follows:

George D. Haworth had a fancy for mechanical devices and was an excellent blacksmith although he had never served an apprenticeship at the trade. He found two men working there on a corn planter when the family first located in Mechanicsburg. They were Cyrus Correll and Dr. A. J. Randall. He assisted them in their experiments and they developed a one horse planter whose dropping device was operated with a trigger.

In the winter of 1853-4, 200 of the planters weer made. There is no record of the success of these but the probability is it was not brilliant.

George D. Haworth returned to Mechanical ideas and he returned to Ohio to carry them into effect because of the superior manufacturing facilities offered by the state. He worked in Xenia, Dayton, and elsewhere, producing several machines, one of them a corn harvester.

TWO HORSE PLANTER

George Haworth returned to Mechanicsburg in 1859 and perfected a two horse cornplanter.

We are unable to say whether this was the first of that type or not but we do know that he manufactured it at Mechanicsburg and in Springfield. This cornplanter required two men on the machine, one to handle the team and the other to manipulate the dropping device. If the rows were checked so that the field could be plowed both ways it was necessary that the field be crossmarked. This was done with a sledlike device whose runners were as far apart as the corn rows should be. Just as much time was required in crossmarking a field as in actually planting it.

ELIMINATE CROSS MARKING.

George D. Haworth directed his mind to the working out of a device which would check automatically the cross rows when the planting was done, this saving one man on the planter and eliminating entirely the crossmarking of the field. The checkrower was the result. This employed a knotted cord stretched the entire width of the field. The cord ran through a slotted lever on the planter. Each knot operated the lever which in turn operated the dropping device.

There has been no material change in the checkrower since it was first presented to the public. A wire was substituted for the cotton cord which would wear out quickly and would always shrink when it rained. It was not until wire was made of bessemer steel that a wire could be found that was tough enough for this use.

There have been numerous changes in details. Originally the rope or wire crossed the planter. The side wire is now universally used.

EXPERIMENTS IN DECATUR

The checkrower was first made in Mechanicsburg. George D. Haworth then came to Decatur where the rest of the family were and then went to Springfield. There was a period of experimentation necessary to perfect the device which was not completed till 1869. A partnership was then formed between the father and the three sons known as the Haworth Checkrower Co. to manufacture the checkrowers. The first factory was on part of the ground of the Haworth Grain Co. at Cerro Gordo and Morgan streets. The older Haworth continued to give his attention to the grain business and the three sons took care of the manufacturing business.

The first checkrowers made were sold to Macon county farmers.

There was the usual reluctance on the part of farmers to take up a new device. The first year there were 300 checkrowers made and sold. The device could be used on any two wheeled planter. The next year 2000 were made. From this time on they were turned out by thousands, one year reaching to more than 16,000.

BIG BUSINESS.

A great manufacturing business sprang into existence almost by magic. Every corn belt farmer wanted a checkrower and the Haworth's owned the patents. All corn planter manufacturers had to use Haworth checkrowers.

New buildings were created and the Haworth factory employed at one time in excess of 150 men. It was a seasonal business, operating mainly during the autumn and winter, but it paid good wages and was easily the leading manufacturing business in Decatur.

The heyday of the business was from 1880 to 1890, and in that time the Haworths made a great deal of money. They all built fine homes and were reckoned among the most prosperous and prominent citizens of Decatur.

The last good year of the business was 1890. The checkrower business at that time began to decline.

COMPETITORS APPEAR.

There were various reasons for this decline. Two other Decatur concerns had got into the manufacture of checkrowers. They were Chambers, Bering & Quinlan and Conklin & Tait. They made good checkrowers and managed to keep out of the way of the Haworth patents. As soon as the original patents began to expire planter manufacturers began to make their own checkrowers. The Haworths had been so busy supplying checkrowers that they had abandoned the manufacture of planters. Therefore when they were no longer called upon to supply other planter makers there was no longer a call for their checkrowers.

From 1890 the business gradually diminished until the factory was finally closed. There was an effort to take up the manufacture of planters, wheat drills and other farm machinery, but it was then too laid to get into the game.

(To Be Continued)

RIVAL CARRIERS PROTEST BUS LINE

Springfield, April 22 — Protests against operation of bus lines between Carbondale and Herrin will be heard here today by the Illinois Commerce Commission. The Murphysboro and Southern Illinois railway has applied for permission to operate bus lines to which the Missouri Pacific railroad and the Coal Belt Electric Railway company have objected.

Application for permission to operate bus lines between West Frankfort, Herrin, Johnston City, and Benton, filed by the Spires Transportation company, will also be heard today.

POOR GRIEVE OVER "CON" MAN'S DEATH

Denver, April 22— Lou Blonger, convicted leader of an international gang of confidence men, who died as he feared, within the confines of the "big house," the state penitentiary at Canon City, will be laid to rest on Wednesday morning. Today, Lou, who died a convict, but who perhaps was known to more of Denver's poor than any other man because of his charities, was generally mourned.

Shelbyville Squirrel Attacks Person Once Too Often—It's Dead

Shelbyville, April 22—Mrs. C. A. Parish is recovering nicely from the effects of being bitten by a squirrel in the yard at her home on North Broadway. It is said that the same squirrel had attacked other persons, but had stopped short of biting them. The squirrel is dead.

SEND "DIVINE CALL TO ARMS" OVER STATE

Springfield, April 22—(AP)—A war against the inroads of modernism in the church has been declared by the leading "fundamentalists" in Illinois, who have called a four days conference in Springfield, commencing April 28, to organize an Illinois campaign against present day "apostacy, materialism and atheism."

They have sent out "a divine call to arms." Headed by Dr. James M. Gray, dean of the Moody Bible Institute, a score of their most prominent leaders will occupy the two Springfield pulpits during the period of the conference, attacking "destructive criticism" of the Bible, and the threatened disintegration of orthodoxy.

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POTATOES, Seed or Eating, 2 bu. bag, $1.80
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FUJI BEAD MOLASSES ..... 18¢
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SUGAR, H. & E. Pure Cane, 10 lbs. 90c
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"My face broke out in red pimples; my left cheek and forehead were covered with them, and on my right cheek was a patch of scaly, sore eruptions. Later the trouble spread to my neck and arms. The breaking out kept me awake for hours it pained so badly.
"I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. After using the free sample for three days the eruptions started to heal. I purchased more and in three weeks I was healed." (Signed) Miss Bessie D. Portland, Carmi, Ill., Sept. 25, 1923.
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Coolidge Favors World Conference

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the service the American nation might service the American nation might give to the world. He drew the theme from the work of The Associated Press.

LOGICAL WORK.

"The work of The Associated Press both necessary and logical," he said, "indicates that the true method would appear to lie in recognizing the broad principle of our individual and national dependence, calculating the requirements which flow from that condition, and governing ourselves accordingly. Complete independence means complete co-ordination and co-operation. From this principle arises the oft-repeated law of service—we can help ourselves only as we help others.

"One of the pre-eminent requirements of our country at the present time is to re-establish and emphasize in the public mind the law of service. The danger to America is not in the direction of the failure to maintain its economic position, but in the direction of the failure to maintain its ideals."

WAR CONDITIONS.

The president, in alluding to this danger, mentioned that the World war caused many of the old standards to be suspended or cast aside and asserted that although war conditions passed away they left "a trail of vicious and criminal selfishness." Then turning to the revelations of the senate investigations without mentioning them specifically, he continued:

"From all of this sordidness the affairs of government, of course, suffered. In some of it a few public officers were guilty participants. But the wonder is not that this was so much or so many, rather that it has been so little and so few. The encouraging thing at present is the evidence of a well-nigh complete return to normal methods of action and a sane public opinion. The gravity of guilt of this kind is fully realized and publicly reprehended. There is an exceedingly healthy disposition to uproot it altogether, and administer punishment wherever competent evidence of guilt can be produced. That I am doing and propose to continue."

PRAISES A. P. WORK.

President Coolidge called the Associated Press "one of the eyes of mankind which never slumbers."

"The gathering and publication of news has a greater significance than is sometimes realized," the president said. "No large enterprise can exist for itself alone. It ministers to some great need, it performs some great service, not for itself, but for others; or, failing therein, it ceases to be profitable and ceases to exist. This is the case with the Associated Press.

COVERS WORLD.

"Without ceasing, it assembles each day the events of each part of the world and transmits them to every other part. The fundamental reason for this lies in the fact that it is felt to be of vital importance to each man and each community to know what other men and other communities are doing.

"The news is printed and read, not for the mere purpose of entertainment, amusement and recreation, but almost entirely for the practical purpose of information, in order that by means of accurate knowledge of what others are doing a course may be laid out of accurate and successful action.

PUBLIC OPINION.

"Faith in the American people means a faith in their ability to form sound judgments, when once the facts have been presented to them clearly and without prejudice. It is this educational work, national in its scope, that the Associated Press performs, and upon its integrity and fairness depends in large measure the course of public opinion in the United States. This work is done without any tinge of personal or political opinion.

"A very practical need exists and it is met by a very practical service. It is individual in its nature. It is a personal service for each one of us, making its appeal entirely to the intelligence of the individual and recognizing fully the American ideal of intellectual independence."

PUBLIC EXPENDITURES.

Touching upon public expenditures, the president asserted there is a general vigorous demand "for every possible relief from the burden of unnecessary public expenditure."

"Yet notwithstanding this, minority groups of one kind or another, and organizations sometimes almost nation-wide in their ramifications, are making the most determined assaults upon the public treasury," the president said. "I am advised by the director of the bureau of the budget that careful computation discloses that there are bills pending that are seriously pressed for passage not including the bonus, which would increase the expenditures of the federal government for next year by about $3,000,000,000.

WOULD BE DOUBLED.

This would mean that outside of the postoffice department, which is practically self-sustaining, the present rate of expenditure would be more than doubled. Each one of these items taken by itself is not large and its supporters argue that certainly the government can afford to make this additional payment. But taken in the aggregate they make the stupendous sum I have mentioned and their assumption by the government would mean nothing less than financial disaster to the nation."

H. S. Directors Are Elected in 3 Cities But on Wrong Date

Litchfield, April 22— Three community high school districts, Mt. Olive, Staunton and Gillespie, it has been discovered, held their school elections on the wrong date. The elections in these three districts were held Saturday, April 12, instead of April 19.

Members of the boards of directors were elected on that date. Just what will be done to correct the error remains to be seen.

FRIENDS TO TAKE DUSE'S BODY HOME

Liner Leaves New York May 1.

Pittsburgh, April 22—The body of Mme. Eleonra Duse, Italian actress, who died here Monday, lay Monday night in an undertaker's chapel pending arrangements for its removal to New York for transfer to the liner Duilio, which sails May 1 for the homeland of the famous tragedienne. Guido Carreras, her personal representative, said tonight before departing from Washington to obtain the necessary passports and permits, that the body might not be taken to New York until a few days before the scheduled sailing of the liner.

The twenty members of the Duse company visited the chapel and grouped about the body, knelt in prayer. "La Duse," in death as in life, was shielded from the public and none but the members of the company were permitted to view the body. They will act as an escort until the arrival in Italy.

NEWSY NOTES OF ASSUMPTION FOLK

Assumption, April 22—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webb and family visited relatives in Pana Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. F. L. Taylor and grandson Billie Cushing and Dora Stapleton went to Decatur Friday for a couple of days.

Wanda Bruley of Litchfield visited her parents over Sunday.

Roy Bean of Champaign visited friends here over the week-end.

Miss Anna Murrey, Leda La Rochelle and Mrs. Alice Connors spent Sunday here.

Miss Edna Engle visited her brother in Pana Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lloyd and children of Decatur visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Beckett.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Moore, and Ivah Moran were Pana visitors Saturday

Mrs. Walter Hoover is visiting her daughter at Nokomis.

Glenn Cushing spent Saturday with his grandparents Mr. and Mrs. J. Miller in Pana.

Helen Rivard of Decatur spent the week-end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. G. J. Rivard.

Lucile Gandy of Palmyra is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Gandy.

Dr. and Mrs. O. L. Crow and son Floyd visited relatives in Blue Mound Sunday.

Miss Lucile Cazalet of Normal is spending the spring vacation at home.

Miss Alta Hight was a Decatur visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Creamer Jr., and children of Decatur visited the former's parents Sunday.

Miss Helen Connolly of Taylorville spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Connolly.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Meyers and daughter visited the latter's parents in Moweaqua.

Miss Rose Dawlis returned to Macon after a short visit with her parents.

Justin Domas of Springfield is visiting friends here.

Miss Marie Cushing of Springfield is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. A. Turgeon.

Miss Mary Perry of Taylorville visited her mother Mrs. James Perry over Sunday.

Clyde Anderson of Pana spent Saturday evening with friends here.

Miss Louise Vilmure of Decatur spent Easter with her mother, Mrs. J. A. Vilmure.

She Is Trained To It.

Judge:—"Jack says this new horse he has bought is a bargain." "Then it is a safe lady's horse." "Why?" "Because a woman can always drive a bargain."

$2.50-$3.95 Purses & Bags $1.49

—Women's all leather purses in pouch or flat effect. 50 styles to select from—all good colors and sizes. Included are values up to $3.95. Special for Wednesday at $1.49

H. S. GEBHART CO.

Sale of Muslinwear At $1

—Women's fine quality muslin gowns, women's chemise in several light shades, women's and children's bloomers and men's fine muslin night shirts. Values to $1.50, at

Wednesday Is Bargain Day At GEBHART'S

The After-Easter Sales Are On With Many Extra Special Events In Apparel, Yard Goods And Things For The Home

After-Easter Sacrifice!

Coats And Dresses

Values to $25--Wednesday

$12.75

Other After Easter Sale Groups at $14.75 $19.75 $21.75 $24.75 $29.75 Values up to $40 and $50

Beginning at 8:30 A. M.

—A real "cut" in prices; drastic mark-downs on garments taken from various groups of regular stock. Come ready to be surprised. Values surpass any you've seen.

Dresses of Fine Silks

—Street styles, afternoon styles, party styles; garments for matrons and misses. Canton crepes, satin crepes, knitted silks, taffetas. Sizes 16 to 40. Choice at $12.75.

Coats In Sport Styles

—They're tailored of soft, fine texture Polo coatings, in the prettiest of plaids and stripes. Three-quarter length garments, in sizes 16 to 40, values to $20, choice, $12.75.

Silks and Colored Cottons

In A Great Dollar Sale Wednesday

—36-IN SILK AND COTTON PONGEE for dresses, shirts or draperies. 75c values, 2 yards $1
—32-IN. JAP PONGEE, full weight for dresses and blouses. $1.25 value, a yard $1
—36-IN. SATINETTE—for Princess slips, in ten shades—light and dark. 75c value, 2 yards .. $1
—36-IN. LINING SATIN in dark and light grounds with printed designs. $1.69 value.. $1
—36-IN. FAILLE LUSTRE, light and dark solid colors for dresses and coats. Yard .. $1
—36-IN. SATEEN in black only, for bloomers. Good weight, fine finish. 39c val. 4 yards $1
—32-IN. ROMPER CLOTH in dark and light grounds with narrow stripes. 4 yards $1
—32-IN. ZEPHYR GINGHAMS in checks and plaids. Regular 29c value at five yards $1
—36-IN. PLISSE CREPE, in pink, blue, maize and lavender for gowns. At two yards ... $1
—36-IN. SERPENTINE CREPE light and dark grounds with printed kimona styles. 4 yards .. $1

36-Inch Service Silks, at Two Yards, $1.

—Service Silk in black, white and all the high shades for Spring. Used for slips and linings. Excellent quality. Wednesday at two yards, $1.

$8.50 Bed Spreads $5

—Beautiful Satin Marseilles Bed Spreads; $8.50 values, each. $5

$10 Satin Spreads 5.95

—English finish satin Marseilles bed spreads $10 value 5.95

$18.00 Silk Spread 12.50

—81x90 Art Silk Bed Spreads, blue or gold stripes 12.50

$2 Fountain Pens For $1

—Self filling, 14K gold pen, $1.50 and $2.00 values $1

A Dollar Sale For Houskeepers

At Gebhart's Wednesday

—39c extra fine dimity checks, 4 yards $1
—50c extra fine dimity checks, 3 yards $1
—25c yard wide percales, at 7 yards for $1
—25c 36-inch comfort challies, 7 yards for $1
—22c heavy unbleached muslin, 8 yards $1
—22c 40-in. fine unbleached muslin, 8 yds. $1
—58c Sanitas Tile oil cloth at 3 yards for $1
—25c 36-inch Spring Cretonnes, 6 yards $1
—$1.25, 81x90 unbleached sheets, special $1
—75c, 45-inch mercerized batiste, 2 yards $1
—50c, 36-inch white dimity, special 3 yds, $1
—29c English Long Cloth at five yards $1
—39c Berkley white Nainsook, 4 yards for $1
—45c pillow tubing; all widths, 3 yards $1
—69c 9-4 blea. Pepperell sheeting, 2 yds $1
—42x36 Everwear pillow cases, Four for $1
—36-inch white Shaker flannels, 4 yds. $1
—59c white wool flannel, special, 2½ yds. $1
—$1.25, 58x58 oil cloth squares, spec each $1
—25c white Shaker flannels at six yards $1
—22x44, 50c Turkish towels, three for $1
—18x36 heavy Turkish towels, four for $1
—18x36 hemstitched huck towels, five for $1
—72-inch Renfrew colored stripe Damask $1
—20c pure linen brown crash, 8 yards for $1
—39c, 40-inch white dress voiles, 4 yds. $1
—18-in. colored huck toweling, 4 yards $1
—64-in. cream pure linen damask, yard $1
—12x12 plain art linen napkins, four for $1
—36-in. bleached Indian Head at 4 yards $1
—39c, 36-in. Killarney linene, 3 yards $1
—36-in. Blue Bird Nainsook, three yards $1
—36-in. Blue Bird Nainsook, four yards $1
—$1.50 Blue Print Table Cloths, spec. each $1

Hope Muslin Wednesday Seven Yds $1

16½c Muslin Unbleached Ten Yards $1

200 Lovely Hats REDUCED To

$1.95, $3.50, $4.75

—Into these three groups go hats from our higher cost lines; the later phases of Spring fashions in hats of crepe straws, satins and of fine straws with silk crepe facings. A wonderful collection; in black, black white and colors.

In This Sale Are Hats Sold From $5 to $8.50 and $10.00 Regularly

Four Big Underwear Bargains Wednesday

59c Union Suits Two Suits $1

—Women's loose or tight knee, summer union suits, at 2 suits for.. $1

Men's Athletic Union Suits $1

—Men's knit or athletic union suits in all sizes. Special at ea... $1

Children's Suits Two For $1

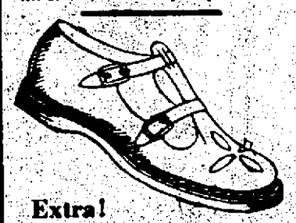
—Children's athletic or knit union suits, all sizes. At two suits.... $1

Women's Athletic Suits $1

—Women's fine quality knit union suits. All sizes. Well made. At a suit.. $1

Satin, Kid & Patent Straps & Sandals At $3.95

—Black satin, kid and patent straps and sandals with military or flat heels. 6 different styles. All sizes. Wednesday at pair $3.95.



Extra! Sale: Barefoot Sandals, $1

—Children's brown lotus calf sandals, made with good solid extension soles and in sizes 5½ to 2. Just the thing for Spring or summer wear. Special at a pair, $1.

Garter Elastic 29c

—Fancy garter elastic in all colors. Garter length 29c

50c Sanitary Belts 29c

—Womens sanitary belts in pink and white. Choice 29c

Fibre Suitcase 1.95

—Wood frame, reinforced corners. Each $1.95

Traveling Bags 1.95

—Black Keratol traveling bags. Choice. $1.95

$1.50 Umbrellas $1

—Paragon frame, tape edge ring or leath. strap handle $1

75c Floor Wax 49c

—Excellent quality floor wax. 75c value, at pound 49c

Wall Flat $1.95

—Flat wall paint in all colors. $3 value, quart 1.95

Screen Paint 49c

—Screen enamel in black only. Fine surface. Quart 49c

Varnish Stains $1

—General Varnish Co.'s varnish stains in all colors... $1

$1.50 to $2.50 SILK HOSE

On Special Sale Wednesday

$1 Pr.

—Women's pure silk hose in full or semi-fashioned styles, in all the Spring's new shades. Broken sizes. They are worth up to $2.50. On sale Wednesday, pair, $1.

Fibre Silk Hose, 50c

—Women's fibre silk hose in complete sizes. In most all shades. An excellent hose 50c

3 Prs. Men's Sox, $1

—Men's fine mercerized hose in brown, black, navy, grey or palm beach. At three pairs... $1

3 Pairs Children's 50c-59c Hose For $1

—Children's good quality lisle socks in the ⅞ length. Broken sizes. Regular 50c and 59c values, at 3 prs. $1

Boys' Pants $1.50 Values, $1

—All-wool, reinforced, in sizes 7 to 16. Pair, $1.

Men's and Boys' $1.50 Caps, $1

—Most all colors. Spring cap fabrics. Choice, $1.

$2.25 Gingham Dresses, $1.49

—Several styles, all trimmed in white and colors.

$1.75 Apron Dresses, $1

—Of fine gingham and percales. All sizes. Each, $1.

$1.75 School Dresses, $1

—For little girls, well made. Sizes 7 to 14. $1.

Boys' Staunch Coveralls, $1

—Blue, well made, and in sizes 3 to 10. Choice, $1.

$1.50 Women's Corsets At $1

—Styles for all figures. All sizes. Special at $1.

Exquisite White Blouses, $1.95

—Women's white blouses, some trimmed in colors.

6 Cakes Toilet Soap For 19c

—Twin Maid Toilet Soap, Wednesday at 6 bars for 19c

The 25c Spiro Deodorant, 17c

—Spiro Powder, deodorant, a 25c box Wednesday, 17c.

Adorable New Neckwear, 50c

—Lace, linen and organdie collar and cuff sets at 50c.

Boudoir Caps, Special, 50c

—Silk and lace combinations in many colors. 50c.

Regular 12½c to 20c Wall-paper 12 Rolls, $1

—Papers for all rooms—papers that formerly sold from 12½c to 20c a roll. Special for Wednesday at 12 rolls, $1

35c Oatmeal Wall-papers 19c Roll

—All colors. The Duplex kind—will not fade. At 19c.

Here's A Real Bargain For Wednesday

9x12 Congoleum Rugs $12.95

—Slightly imperfect Congoleum rugs with pretty borders and in several neat patterns. A real bargain at $12.95

9x12 Axminster Rugs $24.75

—Good standard quality Axminster rugs in several pretty patterns and rich colors. $35 values. Special at $24.75

A Wednesday List of Dollar Drapery Bargains

10c Yards Curtain Scrims for $1.

—Plain white curtain scrims, double border on sides. Ten yards $1

6 Yards Curtain Scrims for $1

—White barred curtain scrim, yard wide, extra fine quality, at six yards for $1

$1.50 Ruffled Curtains, $1 Pair.

—White ruffled scrim curtains; hemstitched with tie backs to match. 2¾ yards long. Regular $1.50 value, special at a pair $1

3 Yards 50c Quaker Nets, For $1.

—Quaker and Zion lace mills filet curtain nets, good width in ivory shade; regular 50c value, Wednesday, three yards $1

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BEMENT TELEPHONE OPERATOR IS BRIDE

Miss Nash Weds W. R. Buchanan.

Bement, April 22—Miss Grace Nash and W. R. Buchanan were married at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, April 20, in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Nash, by Rev. Charles F. Adams, pastor of the Christian church. After May 1 the couple will be at home in Urbana.

Mrs. Buchanan has been with the Piatt County Telephone company at the Bement office ten years, lacking one month. For several years she has been supervisor here. She will continue her work at the office until May 1. Mrs. Buchanan always has been an active worker in the Christian church.

FELL FROM BRIDGE.

James Husick who has been working with the bridge gang at Effingham fell from a bridge Saturday, a distance of sixteen feet, when a bar which he was holding in place slipped and caused him to fall. There were cuts on his head, the right wrist was badly sprained and his back injured. The fall rendered him unconscious for a time. He was taken to the Wabash hospital in Decatur Sunday for treatment.

John Lash was brought home from Decatur Saturday in an ambulance, suffering from an attack of measles. He is a Wabash employe.

The banks in Bement will close at noon on Thursday, beginning May 1 and continuing until Nov 1.

PROMINENT KENNEY WOMAN PASSES ON

Kenney, April 22—Mrs. J. T. Shepherd who has been seriously ill for some time, passed away at her home near Kenney at 8 a. m. Saturday, at the age of forty-nine years and nine months. She was one of five children born to A. J. and Mary J. Waldron and with the exception of an elder sister dying in infancy, is the first one to break the family circle. She was the mother of five children all of whom are living at or near home. She was a member of the Royal Neighbor Lodge and of the Methodist Episcopal church of Kenney and was a willing and sincere worker in both.

THREE MEN UNHURT IN 50 FT. PLUNGE

Springfield, Ill., April 22.—An automobile containing three persons early this morning plunged through a ballustrade of an overhead bridge near Staunton, and then fifty feet below to the Chicago and Northwestern railroad tracks. The automobile was completely wrecked, but the three men shaken up a bit, climbed the steep embankment and returned to Staunton uninjured. The car was driven by George Peterman of Staunton.

MRS. GEO. FOREMAN DIES IN HAMMOND

Hammond, April 22—Mrs. George Foreman, Sr., died at her home here at 5:30 o'clock Sunday at the age of eighty-two years, of asthma and other complications. She was wide and favorably known having lived here a number of years. She leaves seven children five sons and two daughters: Joseph, William, John and Nathan and Mrs. Ada Patrick and Mrs. Myrtle Green, all of Hammond and one son George W. Foreman of Oklahoma. Besides the children there are several grandchildren, also a number of great grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held at the Church of Christ Tuesday at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. A. J. Nance, burial in the Hammond cemetery.

Mrs. Martha Sutter and her granddaughter, Fay Miller, went to Decatur to spend the day with Mr. and Mrs. Fame Miller.

Mrs. John Foreman and son Austin were in Decatur Monday.

Miss Dorothy Murphy was a visitor in Decatur Monday.

Earl Evans and wife and daughter Maurine of Lovington were visiting at the home of W. R. Evans and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Geo. B. Gentry was a guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Freemon, in Decatur Monday.

Estel Huff and son Donald and Glenn and Frank Smith spent the day with Wm. Mock and family in Morrisonville Sunday.

Mrs. George Jones visited in Mattoon last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Tuson and two children of Casey were week-end visitors at the home of Rev. B. F. Burnett and family.

Harry Henry of Decatur was a visitor at the home of his parents, Willis Henry and wife Sunday.

John Dougherty of Decatur was in Hammond Sunday, calling on friends.

Mrs. Florence Huf and baby and Miss Eva Davis and George Silver were week-end visitors of Wm. Mock and family at Morrisonville.

Leland Bandy of Decatur visited with home folks over Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Kilborn and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fowler of Decatur visited here Sunday with Albert Bandy and family.

FLEENER FUNERAL.

The funeral service for Mary I. Fleener was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the church of Christ, Rev. A. G. Nance officiated. She was the fourteen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fleener who live on a farm two miles west of here. Besides her parents she leaves three sisters and six brothers. Burial at the Hammond cemetery.

Miss Elmer South of Decatur was a guest of home folks over Sunday.

Charles Patrick and family of Tuscola visited with relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Myrtle Black and little daughter Rosella and Miss Florence Huff of Decatur were here Sunday visiting with James Huff and family.

Mrs. Elmer Eskridge and daughters Fern and Maude were visiting relatives in Decatur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Vent were Decatur visitors Sunday.

Clarence Swarm and Russell Shirey of Decatur was business visitors here Friday.

Fred Woods and wife of Atwood were here Sunday visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Taylor and family.

Miss Ruth Frye of Monticello visited with friends here over the week-end.

PACIFIC COAST MAY BAR BILLBOARDS

San Francisco, April 22—(AP)—Definite steps by civic organizations to eliminate billboards from the highways of the Pacific Coast, are expected to result from the impetus given the movement by the Standard Oil company of California, which has torn down 1,200 of its roadway signs in California, Oregon and Washington.

The company removed its highway advertisement, its on the ground that they detracted from the beauty of the roads, and ordered that hereafter such signs should be confined to commercial zones.

"There was instant public response up and down the coast," said Kenneth R. Kingsbury, president of the company. "We have had editorials, letters and telegrams by the hundreds indicating that a keen feeling exists concerning the marring of our great highways by signs."

GUSHARD'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

Wednesday! A Sale of 1500 Fine

Gingham House Dresses

Basement Cash Price **$1.95** Basement Cash Price

"The greatest house dress values we've ever offered." That's what the Bargain Basement Manager says about the dresses in this great Wednesday sale at $1.95. And we have a great quantity—more than 1,500 smart, new, crisp dresses are going in this sale.

Thirty styles are included—eight of them are illustrated above, and there are twenty-two others equally attractive. They are made of fine materials—Amoskeag, Toil du Nord, French and Scotch ginghams, in beautiful new plaid and checked patterns and chambray gingham in plain colors. Sleeves are short, and they have pretty sashes and clever pockets. Embroidery, organdy, dimity, eyelet work, rick-rack and plain braid are trimmings.

Every dress is perfectly made, with carefully finished seams. Hems are extra wide. Sizes range from 16 to 53. You'll find dozens that you like, and when you buy them you will save an important sum on each one, for they are marvelous values at $1.95.

Come early Wednesday morning. See the dresses in our Water street windows and pick out your styles. Once you see the dresses you'll want many at this price.

GUSHARD'S BARGAIN BASEMENT

Standard Sewing Machines, Half Price

WILLIAM GUSHARD COMPANY

IRENE CASTLE CORTICELLI FASHIONS The ISADORA Model

IRENE CASTLE CORTICELLI FASHIONS The LENORE Model

Now We Have The Internationally Famous

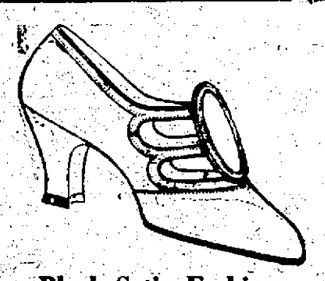
Irene Castle Corticelli Fashions

WE are indeed pleased to announce that we have secured the exclusive right to sell Irene Castle Corticelli Fashions in Decatur, and we know that the women of this vicinity will be equally pleased to learn that authentic Castle fashions may now be seen and chosen in Decatur.

The charming models now on display reveal the reasons for the popularity of Castle Corticelli fashions—they are so youthful, so smart, reflecting, as they do, the charm that has made Irene Castle famous on two continents, and the exquisite taste which has given her the reputation of being "America's Best Dressed Woman."

Each model is of the same patrician, luxurious quality, for Irene Castle insists that each model be made of or lined with, the Corticelli silks she chooses for her own garments. And, since we limit the number of garments, Castle fashions are always exclusive.

Irene Castle Corticelli lined wraps, $49.50 to $97.50
Irene Castle Corticelli dresses, $39.50, $49.50, $59.50
SECOND FLOOR



Black Satin Fashions

Clever Gore Pumps $8.50

VERY new are these gore pumps, pictured above, with elastic instep gores concealed by their oval buckles. The lines are smart, and material and making are excellent. With covered Louis heels and turn soles. Of lustrous black satin, or of fine patent leather, at the notably moderate price of $8.50 a pair.
SECOND FLOOR

Dollar Paint Specials

White Enamel, $1 a Qt.
—Worth-Weil gloss white enamel is an interior finish of great beauty and durability. It dries over night with a high gloss, and is easy to apply. Special, Wednesday, $1 quart.

Varnish Stain, $1 a Qt.
—Worth-Weil varnish stain will stain and varnish in one application. Dries quickly, with high gloss, and is waterproof. Wednesday, $1 a quart.

½ Gal. House Paint, $1
—Worth-Weil ready mixed house paint is a guaranteed paint that comes mixed and ready to apply. It covers well, and is durable and economical. In all colors. Very special, for Wednesday, half gallon can, $1.

4-inch Brushes, at $1
—Fine four-inch brushes with extra long bristles firmly set in rubber, are very special Wednesday at $1 each.
FIFTH FLOOR

10 Yards of Muslin

38 Inch, Unbleached, Regular 18c Value

$1.00

8 Yards for $1
—36-inch bleached muslin of fine quality is special priced, 8 yards for $1.

8 Towels, at $1
—Soft, absorbent, 17x24, white turkish towels with blue borders, 8 for $1.
SECOND FLOOR

Special! Wednesday Only!

All Paper for One Room $2.50

WEDNESDAY you can choose paper to finish a room completely, including walls, ceiling and borders, for $2.50. Any size room up to 14x14 feet. Choice of hundreds of patterns—in all the new blends, tapestries and stripes—and the paper is our regular 18c quality. Complete $2.50. Other papers, too, are greatly reduced for Wednesday selling.
—Fifth Floor.

Experienced Wall-paper Hangers Furnished Upon Request.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

DECATUR DAILY REVIEW

18 Pages Today—Two Sections DECATUR, ILLINOIS, TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 1924. PAGES 9 to 18

BETHANY HOGS DIE IN PECULIAR WAY

Suffocated By Ammonia in R. R. Car.

FOUND IN MANURE

Nine Die Because Car Wasn't Cleaned.

BY C. C. TURNER

(Moultrie County Farm Adviser.) Sullivan, April 22—Last Wednesday April 16, The Bethany Shipping Association loaded a mixed car of hogs about 1 o'clock, as the train was expected at two. After billing the car and the manager, Chas. Ekiss, heard the hogs squealing and returned to the car to see if everything was all right.

GASPING FOR AIR.

He found all the hogs were struggling and gasping for air. One hog was dead and the rest appeared to be dying. With the aid of the station agent and the help of the shippers, the hogs were rolled and driven from the car. Four more hogs died immediately and four later in the afternoon. By the next morning the hogs had recovered except two which were still badly affected.

AMMONIA IN MANURE.

When the car was loaded it was noticed to have 10 inches of manure around the sides and at least 6 inches in the center. But it appeared dry and harmless. However, when the hogs were loaded they rooted for moisture and released the ammonia from the heating manure, thus excluding the fresh air, resulting in suffocation. The ammonia was so strong it stung the eyes, and the heat was intense.

TO COLLECT DAMAGES.

The railroad is supposed to properly clean and disinfect all cars before turning them over to shippers and the local agents have been notified to this effect recently. The Producers Commission Association of Indianapolis is handling the damage collection for Bethany and feel that the railroad is responsible for the loss. The Bethany Association probably will pay the loss out of the sinking fund and wait for reimbursement from the railroad.

OTHERS NOTIFIED.

After investigating the case the Farm Bureau office notified all other shipping associations in the county and warned them to be on their guard against uncleaned cars.

The recent shipping association school held in Decatur by the I. A. A. brought out the fact that the railroads were responsible for cleaning livestock cars.

Free Demonstration —of—

IS MELLOW-CREAMS YELLOW

AT DECATUR REVIEW OFFICE

—On—

Wednesday and Thursday of This Week

we will serve America's Cup Coffee free to the ladies of Decatur from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

We are doing this for the sole purpose of acquainting you with the high quality and fine flavor of America's Cup.

We suggest three reasons why you should use this coffee:

1. Quality 2. Economy 3. Sealed Sanitary Package

With each package purchased during this demonstration we will give a 1½ quart aluminum pan free.

We extend to you a cordial invitation to attend this demonstration, become acquainted with America's Cup Coffee and to take advantage of this offer.

America's Cup Coffee is sold by 170 grocers in all parts of Decatur.

NEWS OF THE DAY AROUND ST. ELMO

St. Elmo, April 22—Dwight Smith who is attending school at Shelbyville spent Sunday with home folks.

Misses Florence Kelley and Erma Fogler, who are both holding positions in St. Louis spent their Easter vacation here with their parents.

Mrs. Lottie Beauford, of Villa Grove was here Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fogler.

Billy Crebbs, who is working in Indianapolis returned home for Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Finnfrock, of Altamont visited with the latters sister, Mrs. Jacob Thrasher, Monday afternoon.

HOUSE ON FIRE.

Al Fortners house was on fire Monday morning but not much damage was done as the fire was extinguished shortly after the fire alarm sounded, leaving only a small hole in the roof.

The Easter program was given in the Methodist church here Sunday evening and a large crowd attended. It consisted of several anthems by the choir, the Easter sermon delivered by the pastor, Rev. C. R. Yost, a vocal solo by Rivis Brown and a vocal duet by Mary Compton and Myrna Atkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Sefton of Mount Vernon were here Sunday visiting his parents, A. D. Sefton and wife.

CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY.

Sunday being Leander Stockers eighty-fourth birthday, his children all gathered here to help him celebrate. Those present were Mrs. Georgia Wright and daughter, Gayle, of Chicago, Mrs. Ed Ebelmesser, from St. Louis, Mrs. Earl Smith and daughter Gwendolyn of Decatur, and Mrs. McMahan and two daughters, Dorothy and Helen Louise of Terre Haute, Ind.

Marim Ebelmesser, wife and baby Mary Louise from St. Louis visited over the week end with Henry Ebelmesser and wife.

Henry Masenfield, has moved his new house out east of town on the land which he recently purchased near the hard road.

Mrs. Illinois Fancher, of Oklahoma, returned here the latter part of the week to have a sale of her household goods which was Saturday. She has sold her property to Charlie Brown.

Mrs. James Ellison is reported ill and Mrs. Kate Lavett is acting as nurse there.

Revis Brown, undertaker was called to Bromstown Monday to bury the body of Mrs. Hadyn.

Mrs. Ed Bolds, and daughter Norma Jean spent a few days last week visiting Mrs. Leslie Jones and Nelle Steidley of Edgewood.

Mrs. Lillian McClure and two sons, Junior and Butchard, of Salem spent Easter with her parents, J. N. Jones and wife.

The school election was held here Friday. The three new members elected to the board were C. I. Van Horn, Elza Greider and Mell Durst.

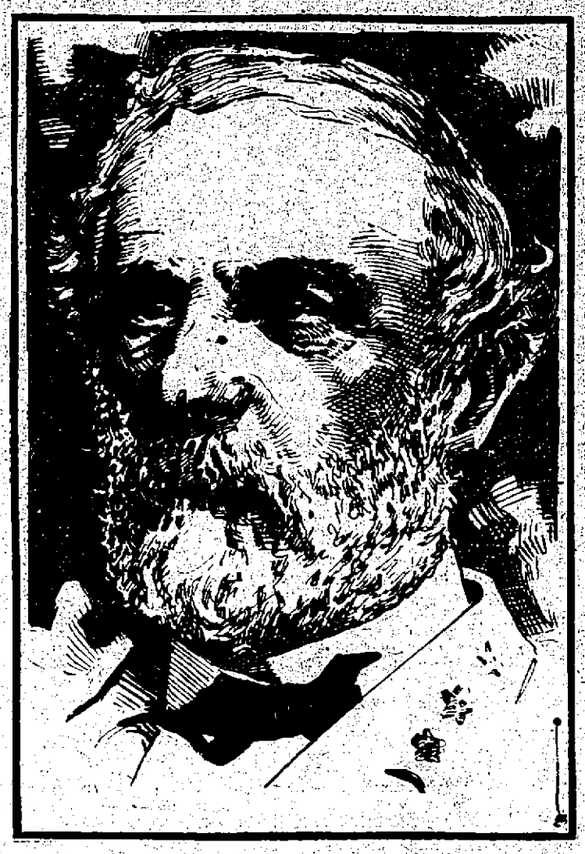
The Epworth League service and Sunrise prayer meeting of the Methodist church were held at 5:30 oclock Sunday morning. Arthur Deckert was leader and Ruby Price, pianist. About twenty-seven members were present and a short talk by the pastor followed the service.

MARRIED

MAHONEY-MURPHY.

Miss Ruth Mahoney, daughter of Mrs. Anna Mahoney, 1405 East Prairie street, and Noel G. Murphy, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, 134 Park Place, were married Monday morning at 10 o'clock in the parsonage of the St. Patrick's church by Father Murphy. The couple motored to St. Louis immediately after the ceremony. They will return the first of May to Decatur and will reside at 134 Park Place.

SOUTH PAYS HIM TRIBUTE



The people of seven southern states will pay tribute to the memory of General Robert E. Lee and the other soldiers of the Confederate cause on April 26, May 10 and June 3. In Memorial Day exercises throughout the south, the ideals, glory and spiritual qualities of General Lee are kept alive. As a figure in world history, Lee is as well known to the people of other lands as to Americans.

NEW U. S. STAMP HONORS HUGUENOTS

Series Will Go on Sale Early in Summer.

Decaturites will soon have the opportunity of sending a letter to Aunt Hester back in Bucksport, Me., or to Cousin Harold in Walla Walla, Wash., with postage stamps commemorating the Huguenot Walloon Tercentenary.

A few of the inhabitants of this growing trading post may not know what the Huguenot Walloon Tercentenary is.

The special issue of postage stamps celebrates the 300th anniversary of the landing of the Huguenot Walloons, who settled at Albany, than Fort Orange, N. Y., in 1610. These adventurous pioneers came to the new world to obtain religious freedom.

Three stamps have been authorized: the 1-cent is green with the picture of a ship; the 2-cent is carmine with "Landing of the Walloons" depicted, and the 5-cent denomination is blue, showing a monument at Mayport, Fla.

The stamps will be on sale early this summer.

Collectors may obtain specimens after May 1 from the United States Philatelic Agency, Washington, D. C.

W. C. T. U. Meeting.

The Decatur W. C. T. U. will have its regular meeting at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon in the First Christian church. A full attendance of members is desired and visitors are welcome.

Anticipated Applause.

Speaking of vanity, a politician the day before he was to make a certain speech, sent a 41-page report of it to all the papers. On page 39 appeared this paragraph: "But the hour grows late and I must close." (Cries of "No, no! Go on! Go on!")

CITY ADVERTISING

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City, as follows, to-wit:

The improvement of the Roadway of Cottage Hill Avenue from a point 20 feet east of the west line of South Oakland Avenue, west 640 feet, to the west line of Block 3, Simpson's 2nd Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois, for the full width of 26 feet between curbs, by excavating, grading and preparing subgrade; by placing thereon a 5 inch Portland cement concrete foundation of 1 part Portland cement, 3 parts sand and 6 parts stone or gravel; by placing thereon a 1½ inch asphaltic binder and thereon a 1½ inch wearing surface of sheet asphalt, by installing necessary combination curb and gutter, by removal of a portion of present curb and pavement of Oakland Avenue, by the necessary removal and relaying of sidewalks, the rebuilding of present catch basin at Oakland Avenue, and necessary grading of parkings.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's Office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 4th day of May A. D. 1924 at the hour of 8:00 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 21st day of April A. D. 1924.

CHARLES T. KELLAM, Commissioner.

LEE FOLAND, Corporation Counsel.

"GRANDMOTHER'S TRUNK" INTERESTING

Douglas D. A. R. Meets in Tuscola Library.

Tuscola, April 22—The Douglas county chapter, D. A. R., held its regular April meeting in the Women's club rooms in the public library building Monday afternoon, with an attendance of thirteen. Mrs. Gertrude Urquhart of Tuscola and her sister, Miss Cora Jewell, of Paris, were hostesses. The program included music by the chapter; devotional; business, and "Grandmother's Trunk." The latter was in charge of Dr. Maude Taylor, and proved very interesting as well as instructive. The "trunk" consisted of an assemblage of very old articles, some of which dated back for more than a hundred years. Among these were old time quilts, comforts, garments, books, pictures of the old daguerreotype kind, pewter spoons and dishes, and other articles, which have long since gone out of use.

NEWS BRIEFS.

There was a short session of the Douglas county court, April term, Monday morning, held by Judge D. H. Wamsley, who after opening the court immediately adjourned until May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. James H. Ashby and their two children, and Mrs. Ida Henderson, the mother of Mrs. Ashby, all of Springfield, drove to Tuscola Saturday to spend the week end at the home of Mr. Ashby's brother, E. J. Ashby. On Monday the party drove to Mattoon to visit at the I. O. O. F. old folks home. They returned to Tuscola Monday evening and left for Springfield Tuesday morning.

Troy O. Timm, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Timm, for about ten days, left Sunday for Milwaukee, where he will resume his school work.

Mrs. Vernon Estes went to Salem, Ill., Monday to visit relatives.

The Waddington ambulance was called out Monday to take Mrs. Clint Pearman to the local hospital. The Pearman family moved from Tuscola onto a farm last fall, but Mrs. Pearman suffered a nervous breakdown soon after and has been sick all the time since. She is the mother of a large family of children.

Boyd Goldman of Indianapolis came over to Tuscola Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Goldman. He was formerly in the clothing business here and is now in the grocery business in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Grace Bigelow, formerly of Tuscola, has been here for several days, visiting her sister, Mrs. Reeder.

Miss Lena Bruhn of Tuscola went to Indianapolis Sunday for a short visit with her sister Marie, who is teaching in that city.

Mrs. H. B. Morgan Sunday went to Indianapolis, where she will spend a few days at the home of her daughter.

Mrs. F. A. Warren, who went to Indianapolis the middle of last week to visit her daughter Alliece who is in school there, returned home Sunday evening.

Harry L. Crawford of the Hindsboro State bank was a business caller in Tuscola Monday.

RICHESON TO SPEAK.

Superintendent J. J. Richeson of the Decatur public schools has been secured to deliver a talk on next Sunday evening in the high school auditorium. The talk will be open to the general public, but will be of especial interest to boys. This is in connection with the International Boys' Week movement.

The talk by Allen Albert will be at the auditorium on Thursday night, May 1. It also is free to the general public, and will be given following the fathers and sons banquet at the I. O. O. F. hall.

BURTON-THICKSON.

Miss Cecil Burton of Pesotum and Clarence Thickson of Champaign came to Tuscola Monday, and were married by Rev. Mr. Cascley of the Methodist church at the home of the minister, at 10 a. m. The couple left for Champaign where they will make their home. Mr. Thickson is engaged in the automobile business in Champaign.

Church News

The Sewing Circle of St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet all day Thursday at the Pines. Hostesses will be Mrs. Theodore Lohrmann and Mrs. R. H. Heil.

The St. Johannes' Sewing Circle will meet Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Hulda Finroth, 1345 East Clay. All members are urged to attend.

JOLLY HUSTLERS' CLUB.

The entertainment which the Jolly Hustlers club of St. Peter's A. M. E. church was to have had April 30 has been called off.

"The Spinsters' Convention" will be given by the club at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, April 29, in the hall on Wood street.

Mrs. Helen W. Phillippi of the First Baptist church will be the speaker at the meeting of the Martha Mission Circle of the Decatur Union Mission, at 2:30 Wednesday afternoon. Women of the First Baptist church will be hostesses.

Clean Wall Paper For a Few Cents

You can have fresh wall paper at trifling expense—Absorene will make old paper as fresh and bright as new.

Absorene absorbs dirt like a sponge—the results are magical. It is used by professional decorators and wall paper cleaners. They know

One can cleans a whole room, quickly and easily. Get a can from any dealer and find out for yourself what it will do for you.

Sold by Paint, Hardware, Drug and Grocery Stores.

Special! BEAUTIFUL SILK SCARFS Regular $2.95 values 95c

HIRSCH COMPANY 121-25 North Water St.

Special! WASH BLOUSES Regular $1.95 values 95c

Newest Coats At Great Savings

A Marvelous Assortment of New Coats—Distinguished in Style—Elegant of Fabric and Excellently Tailored. At a Specially Low Price!

Such an extremely low price for Spring Coats! You will be amazed at the elegance achieved in these smart models and the striking trimmings; plaids predominate and nothing is more stylish this season! Regular $14.75 and $16.75 Coats $10

Other Higher Grade Spring Models At Savings of 20% to 50%

This offers a wonderful opportunity to buy an out-of-the-ordinary coat at a price which will appeal to every woman's sense of economy.

We promise you the greatest values you have seen in any sale this season. Come and select a real $25 or $29.75 coat in this sale, pay the sales person only $15 and the garment is yours. $25 & $29.50 Coats $15

6 to 14 Years GIRLS' COATS

Just the coat for the young miss; Loose back, belted, side-belted and side-buttoned effects; of polaires, plaids, stripes, checks, shadow plaids, etc. Greatly reduced for after Easter selling.

ALL REGULAR $8.50 TO $12.50 COATS ... $6.95

ALL REGULAR $14.75 TO $18.50 COATS ... $9.95

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The improvement of the roadway of Haworth Avenue from the south line of Forrest Avenue, to the north line of Tuttle Street, and Tuttle Street from the east line of Haworth Avenue to the east line of Oakland Avenue, both for the full width of 26 feet between curbs, and including those portions of Haworth Avenue and Tuttle Street, from the curb lines to the lot lines thereof, for the full width between curbs of 28 feet at all intersecting streets, and for the full width of 15 feet between curbs at the first alley north of Tuttle Street running east from Haworth Avenue and 18 feet between curbs at all other intersecting alleys, by excavating, grading and preparing subgrade, by placing thereon a 5 inch Portland cement concrete foundation of 1 part Portland cement, 3 parts sand and 6 parts stone or gravel; by placing thereon an asphaltic binder 1½ inches in thickness with a wearing surface of sheet asphalt 1½ inches in thickness; by installing the necessary combination curb and gutter, catch-basins and tile drains, necessary removal and laying of sidewalks at intersecting streets; and the necessary grading of all parkings, etc.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's Office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearings thereon will be had on the 7th day of May A. D. 1924, at the hour of 8:00 o'clock A. m. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said Court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 21st day of April A. D. 1924.

CHARLES T. KELLAM, Commissioner.

LEE FOLAND, Corporation Counsel.

Hirsch Co. Peerless Shoe Dept for Women

MAIN FLOOR

HERE ARE TWO OF OUR MANY STYLES IN WOMEN'S

Patent Leather Footwear

SANDAL SHOWN IN SOFT PATENT—CENTER STRAP MODE, PERFORATED AND CUT-OUT, WITH LOW HEELS, AT $5.90

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You cannot enjoy the entrancing new Vogue of light hosiery without them.

A Cut-Out Oxford

IN PATENT, TONGUE-LESS, LACED CUT-OUT OXFORD WITH GREY KID TRIM WELT SOLES AND CUBAN HEELS $6.90

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MAIN FLOOR

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SOCIAL NEWS

MISS ATLASS TO SPEAK IN ARCOLA ON EUROPEAN TRIP

Miss Beatrice Atlass left Tuesday morning for Arcola where she is scheduled to speak Tuesday afternoon before the members of the Parent-Teachers' Association of the High school, following the school session. Miss Atlass will give a travel talk, telling of her visit to the various European countries last summer.

The Decatur young woman has spoken before a number of organizations in near-by towns and her talks have always proven to be very interesting and delightful.

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Mrs. C. C. Crumbaker and little son, Charles, of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting Mrs. Crumbaker's mother, Mrs. Frances H. Marshall, 569 West Prairie avenue. They plan to remain about two weeks. Mrs. Crumbaker was formerly Miss Marian Marshall of Decatur.

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Practically everything is in readiness for the bakery sale and bazaar which will be held Wednesday by the Pi Beta Phi sorority in the southwest corner room in the Standard Life building. Home-made bakery goods and candies of all kinds, and hand-made baskets from the settlement school in Tennessee will be featured.

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MRS. W. F. HEINLE and Mrs. F. N. Munch are in Clinton Tuesday where in the afternoon they attended a reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hendrix given in honor of their daughter, Miss Margaret. Miss Hendrix has just returned from Milan, Italy, where she spent four years in voice training.

Mrs. Munch has the honor of having given Miss Hendrix her first musical instruction twenty-five years ago. While in Europe last June, Mrs. Heinle was a guest of Miss Hendrix and became well acquainted with her.

Miss Hendrix will give her first program in Clinton after a few days rest and the affair will be under the auspices of the American Legion.

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More than sixty tables had been reserved Tuesday morning for the bridge and five hundred party given Tuesday afternoon by the St. John's Woman's Guild in the Knights of Pythias hall on West William street. The play was from 2:30 until 5 o'clock. Home-made candies in dainty frilled baskets were on sale during the afternoon by those who were in charge of the affair. Many useful articles were sold at the bazaar. The proceeds from the card play will go toward the entertainment of delegates to the Episcopal synod to be held in Decatur in May.

Mrs. Frank Curtis was general chairman of the party, with Mrs. R. D. Wood as chairman of the cards and tables and Mrs. E. S. Sulecba in charge of the candy sale.

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A picture of Miss Georgiana Schaub daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schaub, West North street, appears with three other students at Smith College in Massachusetts, in the rotogravure section of the Chicago Tribune. Miss Schaub has recently been appointed news editor of the Smith College press board. The following item appears with the pictures: "Girls from the middle west have won high honors this year at Smith College. Fine types of students these, they say at the Massachusetts institution, and prove it by turning over to them some of the most important tasks to be performed. Here are four of the new dignitaries."

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Miss Dorothy Mae White, who attends Lindenwood School for Girls in St. Charles, Mo., returned Tuesday morning to her school after passing her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Elmer White, Park Place.

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Percy Christie of Duluth, Minn., passed Easter with his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hostetler, 241 West William street.

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Mrs. E. L. Smith and daughter Gwendolyn, of North Dennis avenue, returned Monday after visiting over Easter in St. Elmo with Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Stocker. Sunday being Mr. Stocker's eighty-fourth birthday anniversary, a birthday dinner was served in his honor.

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Plans are being made to serve dinner to about thirty-five men at the Country club Tuesday evening, the group of diners being known as the "bowling group" who join together to bowl each Tuesday night.

The formal opening of the Country club will be Thursday evening, May 1, the affair being a dance for members and their families.

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Miss Lula Lindsey and Jesse C. Colbert, both of Decatur, visited friends and relatives in Coffeen and Hagarstown Easter Sunday.

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MISS SCHUMACHER IS MONDAY BRIDE

Announcements have been received in Decatur of the marriage of Miss Mary Kilgour Schumacher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Franz A. Schumacher of Evanston, Ill., and Harry Pehrson of Milwaukee, which took place Monday evening, April 21, at 8:30 in the Northminster Presbyterian church in Evanston.

Attending the bride as maid of honor, was her sister, Miss Liana, who is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota sorority at the Millikin university. Her two bridesmaids were Miss Dora Schumacher, a sister, and Miss Ellen Pehrson, a sister of the bridegroom. Alvin Pehrson of Milwaukee served his brother as best man.

Mrs. Pehrson conducted The Review Cooking school which was held the first of March, and is well-known in Decatur.

Following a wedding trip the couple will reside in Milwaukee.

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Spring flowers were used in decorating the tables at the pretty 1 o'clock luncheon given by Mrs. W. F. Morris in her home Tuesday, the guests being members of the Tuesday Bridge club. Covers were laid for twelve. A basket of red tulips adorned the buffet. Following the luncheon three tables of bridge were at play.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hardy, 815 West Marietta street, served a five course dinner Easter Sunday in honor of their nineteenth wedding anniversary. Spring colors with Easter decorations were used for the table. Small Easter baskets contained the place cards. Nine guests were present. They were: Mr. and Mrs. Babe Slaughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stubbs, Mrs. Althia Dabner and son Luther Taylor, Christine Woods, and Master Ralph Miller.

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The S. N. club met Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berg on East Olive street. Three tables of five hundred were at play. High scores were won by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schroll, Mrs. P. S. Martinic and Mrs. Charles Cameron. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Cameron.

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Mr. and Mrs. Horace White, 655 West Macon, entertained twenty-two guests in their home Monday evening. The time was spent playing bridge and a two course luncheon was served.

Mrs. George Barry was hostess to the Anniversary Bridge club Tuesday with a 1 o'clock luncheon.

PIANO PROGRAM AT MUSIC COLLEGE

Pupils of Miss Pauline Myers To Appear In Recital.

The piano pupils of Miss Pauline Myers of the Decatur Musical College will give a program Thursday evening beginning at 8 o'clock in the college. Assisting will be the dramatic art pupils of Mrs. Gertrude Koropp, instructor at the college.

A number of the various instructors of the college have given programs during the winter months and each has proved quite successful and delightful to the audience.

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The O. L. W. club will meet with Mrs. Oakley Graybeal, 1314 East Clay, Wednesday afternoon.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES

The Girl Reserve department of the Y. W. C. A. is planning for a big carnival to be held in the association building Friday, May 9. It is to be a big affair and the girls are busy at work on the details which are very extensive.

Everything that goes with a May festival, water carnival, fancy diving, circus in the gym, a tea garden, booths, where pop corn, candy, ice cream and other things are sold, two short plays and various other stunts will be a part of the program.

The girl reserves hope to make the money for the summer conferences in this way, and pay the expenses connected with sending the usual eight or ten delegates. It is thought probable that the conference at Riverside will be chosen this year.

The Girl Reserves are working toward a candy booth for the "Made In Decatur" exhibit which is to open in the Wheeler building on West Wood street Thursday. Candies of all sizes shapes and colors will be for sale.

RELIGIOUS SCHOOL MEETING POSTPONED

Sunday School Demonstration Next Tuesday Night.

The meeting of the School of Religious Education called for Tuesday night at which time a demonstration of special programs was to have been held, has been called off, it was announced Tuesday morning.

The demonstrations were to have been built around the special Easter Sunday-school exercises held in Decatur churches last Sunday, but since there was no general special observance, the demonstration has been cancelled.

Next Tuesday Miss Jenna Birks and Miss Alice Robertson of the Y. W. C. A. have arranged a special exhibit of Sunday school material.

The final dinner for the school will follow after the next Tuesday night meeting. An exact date has not been set.

SAFETY MEETING NEXT MONDAY NIGHT

Industrial Division of Safety Council Busy On Project.

As the result of letters sent out to the manufacturers of the city by Lester Gott, acting chairman of the Industrial Division on the Safety Council a meeting of all interested in the safety program has been called for Monday evening at 7 o'clock in the Association of Commerce rooms to lay plans for the activities of the council.

A good response has been received from the letters and the manufacturers seem greatly interested in the safety work.

The Life Underwriters of Decatur will hold their monthly dinner and business meeting Friday evening at 6:30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. speaker of wide repute is to be secured for the meeting.

PERSONALS

Mrs. C. H. Alderson, 1220 North Morgan, has returned from St. Elmo where she was called by the illness of her brother, George O. Myers.

Mrs. Clyde Hinkle has been called to Logansport, Ind., to be with her sister who is ill in St. Joseph hospital.

Harold T. Ryder, who attends the Chicago Technical College, has returned to his school after passing the Easter week-end with his mother, Mrs. Lottie M. Ryder. Mr. Ryder is a member of Delta Theta Chi fraternity at the college.

To Serve Dinner.

The Sons of Veterans Auxiliary will serve a public dinner Wednesday in the G. A. R. hall. Serving will begin at 11:30.

Unsurpassed for pure, rich flavor "SALADA" GREEN TEA H470 is superior to the finest Japans, Young Hysons or Gunpowder. Try it today.

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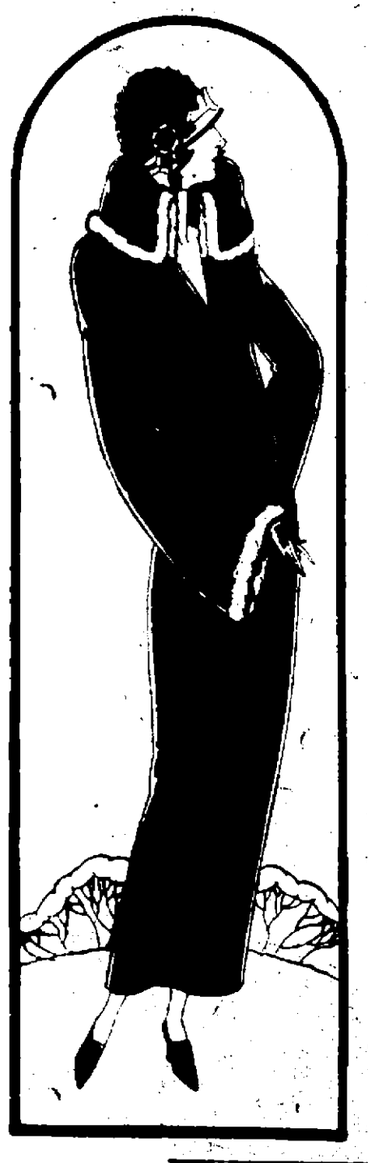

New Spring Millinery featured at $5.00

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We are announcing radical reductions on selections from our stock of Spring apparel, including the choicest modes from New York's makers of Coats, Suits and Dresses.

These reductions are made now, rather than at the end of the season, that you may share handsomely in the splendid savings and assist us to make room for mid-Summer apparel which is arriving daily.

Dresses Reduced

Dresses that have been marked $25 and $35; seasonable, smart, new frocks, both silk and wool. Clearance price $14

$24 Dresses that have been marked $35 and $39.50. A choice collection of lovely frocks for every occasion, $24.

Dresses that have been marked $39.50 and $49.50; charming day-time, evening, sports and business dresses. $34

Coats Reduced

Coats that sold up to $19.50; swagger new coats, fashioned of downy wool, soft pile fabrics in hosts of smart plaids, checks and stripes. Clearance price $12

$22 Coats that sold at $29.50 and $35; full flare and mannish styles for the woman or miss who likes something smart at a moderate price.

Coats that sold at $55 and $59.50; coats of charmeen, of silk, of satin, of beautiful pile fabrics—exclusive Lee modes—for dress, street and sports wear. $42

Suits Reduced

$23 Suits that sold up to $35. Poiret twills, mixtures and stripes; smart interpretations of the season's favored modes.

Suits that sold up to $50; boyish tailleur, boxy styles, as well as the more practical mode; plain colors and hair line stripes. $33

$43 Suits that sold up to $65; suits youthful, becoming and smart in every detail; charmeen, hairline stripes and fine Poiret Twills.

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While beautifying the hair "Danderine" is also toning and stimulating each single hair to grow thick, long and strong. Hair stops falling out and dandruff disappears. Get a bottle of delightful, refreshing "Danderine" at any drug or toilet counter and just see how healthy and youthful your hair becomes.

Household Suggestions

Avoid Step-Up.

Greasy water from boiling hams or corned beef should be cooled and the

grease removed from the top before the water is poured into the sink if you want to keep the plumbing bills down.

Pressing Wool.

Do not dampen woolen garments before pressing them. Use a cheesecloth wrung very dry out of warm water and iron the material over that.

Beat Lightly.

A good way to clean upholstered furniture is to cover it with a bath towel and beat lightly, shaking the towel whenever it shows dust.

Soaking Clothes.

Do not make the mistake of soaking your clothes for too long a time—it loosens the dirt but also distributes it through the fabric. An hour is quite long enough.

Avoids Fat.

Your roast will never become fat soaked if you put it on a rack in the roasting pan instead of directly on the pan. But keep the surface of the pan covered with grease to prevent burning.

Use Silver Knife.

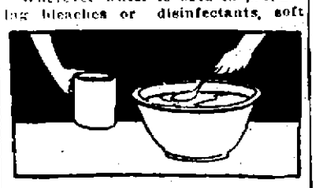
If you pare apples and acid fruits with a silver knife there will be no discolorations—on you or the fruit.

Use Soda.

Your bluing will never settle and spot your clothes if you dissolve a lump of soda in a little hot water and add it to the bluing just before you put in the clothes.

Use Soft Water.

Wherever water is used in preparing bleaches or disinfectants, soft



water should be used. The alkali in hard water offsets all chemicals to a greater or less degree.

Delicia NUT MARGARINE

A new table delicacy now offered to the thrifty housewives of Decatur. Well known and widely sold for years but until recently makers couldn't produce enough to supply the demand. Now practically every dealer in Decatur has Delicia. Try a package today.

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ARRAIGN MAID IN GROUND GLASS CASE

Chicago, April 22— Ella Soduck, maid in the home of Dr. I. Val Friedman, 5516 Kenmore avenue, was arraigned yesterday to answer the charges of attempting to injure the Friedman family by putting ground glass in their food. The case was continued until April 30. Miss Soduck refused to comment. Dr. Friedman reported the condition of his wife as improving.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

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(A daily menu for the stout and thin)

EAT AND—

Lose Weight

One whole large orange, one open egg sandwich, 4 ounces broiled halibut steak, 6 button radishes, 1 cup dandelion greens, ½ head lettuce with 1 dessertspoon Roquefort cheese and 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 4 tablespoons stewed tomatoes, 2 pieces whole wheat toast, 1 gluten roll, 2 tablespoons maple mousse, 1 pint skimmed milk.

Total calories, 1228. Protein, 209; fat, 282; carbohydrate, 637. Iron, .0259 gram.

OPEN EGG SANDWICH.

Two hard boiled eggs, 2 ounces leaf lettuce, 2 tablespoons lemon juice, ½ teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon pepper, ¼ teaspoon mustard, 2 thin slices unbuttered whole wheat bread.

The eggs should be put into boiling water and allowed to stand just at the boiling point but without bubbling for half an hour. Plunge into cold water to cool and remove shells. Mash yolks, season with salt, pepper and mustard and work to a smooth paste with lemon juice. Chop whites finely and stir into yolk mixture. Crisp, dry and shred lettuce. Arrange on slices of bread and cover with dressing.

Total calories, 245. Protein, 61; fat, 104; carbohydrate, 77. Iron, .0011 gram.

Gain Weight

One large orange, 2 pieces French toast, 4 tablespoons maple sirup, 1 cup uncooked cereal with 1 sliced banana and 4 tablespoons cream and 2 teaspoons sugar, 1 cup chicken gumbo soup, one open egg sandwich with 2 tablespoons mayonnaise, 4 ounces broiled halibut steak with 2 tablespoons lemon butter, 3 new potatoes in 4 tablespoons cream sauce, 4 tablespoons stewed tomatoes with 1 tablespoon buttered toast cubes, 6 button radishes, ½ cup dandelion greens with 2 tablespoons bacon dressing, ½ head lettuce with 2 tablespoons Roquefort cheese dressing, 4 tablespoons maple mousse, 1 large piece sponge cake, 1-6 rhubarb meringue pie, 1 pint whole milk, 2 bran and raisin muffins, 4 toasted bread sticks, 2 Parkerhouse rolls, 4 tablespoons butter, 1 tablespoon strawberry preserves.

Total calories, 4190. Protein, 462; fat, 1521; carbohydrate, 2137. Iron, .0211 gram.

The bread can be cut thicker and should be buttered for this egg sandwich. Two ounces of bread are planned.

Toast cubes are added to plain stewed tomatoes to increase the calories.

Oil is included in the cheese dressing for this diet.

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GOOD MANNERS

LADY PAYS OWN WAY

It often happens that a gentleman and a lady of acquaintance get on the same train. When the meeting is by accident the lady should pay for every item of her journey.

Church Calendar

WEDNESDAY.

Everyone who united with Grace Methodist church Easter Sunday is urged to attend the prayer service at 7:30 Wednesday evening. At the close there will be a brief Sunday school board meeting.

Supper will be served at 6:15 Wednesday evening in the First Methodist church by the northwest division. Dr. W. J. Davidson, a former pastor of the church and now president of Illinois Wesleyan university, will be the speaker. The prayer service will follow at 7:30.

The Sigma class of St. Paul's Methodist church will meet all day Wednesday with Mrs. Schmugge, 1328 East Main. The Loyal Ladies' Bible class will meet all day Wednesday at The Pines for quilting. They will have a business meeting in the afternoon.

The Camp Fire girls of the First Presbyterian church will meet at 4:15 Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jennie B. Hupp, 1044 West Main.

The Ladies' Aid of the Third United Brethren church will meet Wednesday afternoon. J. E. Thompson will have charge of the prayer service Wednesday evening.

The Seventh ward Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will meet all day Wednesday with Mrs. Bivens, 250 West Eldorado. The Sixth ward Social circle will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Henry, 650 West Main.

The Ladies' Aid of the First Church of God will meet Wednesday afternoon. Rev. J. L. Updegraph will preach a special sermon to the members of the church and the newly converted people Wednesday evening.

The Boy Scouts of the English Lutheran church will meet at seven o'clock Wednesday evening.

The women of the Westminster church will meet to quilt Wednesday afternoon in the church.

The Teachers' Training class of the First Baptist church will have supper Wednesday evening at 6:15 in the church, followed by prayer services at 7:45.

"Believers and Professors" will be the subject of the prayer services at the Riverside Baptist church Wednesday evening at 7:30.

MAY 10 MOTHERS' DAY AT U. OF I.

Urbana, April 22.—University of Illinois students will be hosts to their mothers at the Mothers' day held every year at the university, May 10.

FROCK FOR WALKING

Panels of velvet brocaded silk with horizontal stripes make this attractive frock what it is. We recommend it for walking since the circular sides give much freedom about the feet. There's an easy grace to the sleeves that is most unusual this season.

Side Combs.

Some of the most up-to-the-minute women are wearing combs that look very much like the old-fashioned "side combs" that were a part of every woman's equipment some years ago.

Buttercup Crepe.

A gown of buttercup colored crepe is heavily beaded with gold beads and has a narrow girdle of gold tissue ribbon.

WEST SIDE GROCERS CLOSE ON SUNDAY

Some Have Been Open Few Hours of Morning.

West end grocery stores will be closed all day on Sundays beginning next Sunday. This agreement was reached at a meeting of west end grocers Monday afternoon in Charles Keyes store.

Some of the stores have been opened for a few hours Sunday mornings but this is thought to be unnecessary and the practice will be discontinued.

HORSE CHESTNUTS SOON IN BLOOM

Budded Spikes Already Beautiful.

Beauty and glory will soon descend on Decatur—for the horse chestnut trees are about to bloom. Horse chestnut trees scattered over the city are sending up their beautiful budded spikes, ready in a few days now to become bunches of glorious bloom.

These spikes stand erect among the leaves and are attractive anywhere and a tree in full bloom is a magnificent sight. But it is a surprise to most persons when they discover that this abundance of blooms produces but few nuts. One of these spikes with many blossoms will yield but two or three balls of fruit and often none at all. It is a queer provision of Nature which placed the fertile blossoms at the base of the cluster of blooms.

BLOOM IN MAY.

The white flowers come into full bloom in this climate early in May usually, and the nuts which many people believe are as good to carry as a potato if one wishes to cure rheumatism, ripen in October along with the truly native nut of this climate.

The horse chestnut is a beautiful thing all through the year. The leaves are lovely in form with the five to seven leaflets, the flowers are an attractive sight, the shape of the tree is a magnificent thing if allowed to develop as it desires, and then in the winter the buds are lovely.

LARGE BUDS.

The terminal buds of winter are large things, an inch or more in length, which have inside the scales the baby leaves and flowers tucked away for safe keeping, ready to burst out of these outside clothes when the first warm days come. The gum on the outside of the buds causes them to glitter and glisten in the late winter suns while they wait for the warm days in order to grow. When these gum coats of protection scale off the little baby leaves are found inside curled up in soft wooly coverings to keep them comfortable until the days get warmer or they get accustomed to this outside air.

The tree is not a native of North America, but was brought from Greece. It likes us very well, however, and has decided to stay. One of the interesting things about it is how it obtained its name. The scar of the leaf stem looks much like a horse's hoof and thereby it is supposed to have gained its name.

Subject to serious disease in the form of fungus the tree cannot be widely recommended for shade plantings.

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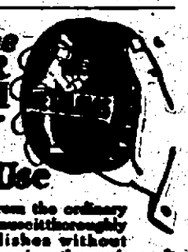

It is different from the ordinary metal polish because it thoroughly cleans and polishes without scratching or marring the surface. It contains no grit, whiting, ammonia, acid or injurious chemicals, and you can safely use it on your most valued silverware.

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At 10c

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Complete Stock at Moderate Prices

—Beef Iron and Wine at bottle	$1
—Baby Laxative now at a box	35c
—Baby Cough Syrup, at bottle	50c
—Arnica Salve, now at a can	25c
—Eas-em, large size, now at	25c
—Aromatic Castor Oil, now at	25c
—Digestive Tonic, at a bottle	$1.20
—Corn Salve, now at a can	25c
—Eye Salve or Eye Water at	25c
—Hot Springs Medicine at	$1
—Laxacold Tablets at a box	25c
—Fig-Sen, large size, now at	25c
—Syrup Hyphophosphites (clear)	$1.00
—Ny-Denta Tooth Paste, tube	50c
—Ny-Lotis Face Powder, 25c, 50c	75c
—Baby Talc, now at a can	25c
—Mayflower Talc, at a can	25c

Kreso Stock Dip, 60c Qt.

—Kreso stock Dip is a general dip and disinfectant and is highly recommended. 5 gal., $7.50; gal. $1.80; ½ gal. $1.05; pint, 45c and quart 60c

Peterman's Moth Powder, 15c

—Kill those troublesome insects with Peterman's Moth Powder. It also comes in liquid form. Special this week at, a can, 40c and at 15c

Parke Davis:

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—Euthymol Tooth Paste, tube	25c
—Shaving Cream, lathers freely	50c
—Euthymol Shaving Cream, tube	40c
—Germicidal Soap, 1 and 2%	25c
—Germicidal Soft Face Soap at	30c
—Almond Cream (lotion) at	60c
—Vanish Cream, at a jar	50c
—Cold Cream, now at a jar	50c
—Infant Glycerine Suppositories	25c
—Norwegian Cod Liver Oil	75c
—Milk Magnesia, 8 oz., 30c, pint	50c
—Sodium Phosphate Salts at	55c
—American Oil, now at a bottle	80c
—Hydrogen Peroxide, ¼ pound	25c
—Zinc Oxide, special at tube	20c
—Throat Discs (medicated) at	25c
—Lactone Tablets (buttermilk)	25c

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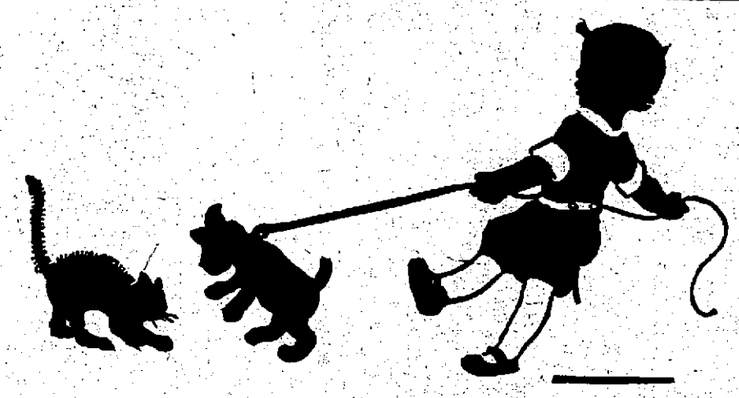

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Bradley Downs J. M. U. In Opening Ball Game

Robertson's Team Winds Up Four Game Trip With 10 to 6 Victory—Many Errors Made.

BY HOWARD V. MILLARD

Some very bad base running in the first two frames and a big sixth inning attack, in which they rapped out six hits for six runs, gave the touring Bradley College nine of Peoria a 10 to 6 victory over Millikin yesterday.

The contest was played before a small crowd on a wind swept field, which was anything but conducive to good baseball.

It was the first game of the season for the Williams nine while coach Robertson's boys were taking part in their fourth fall contest.

ON LONG TRIP.

Coach A. J. Robertson's team left Peoria last Thursday for Charleston where they defeated Eastern Normal 7 to 6. The Wabash game Friday was called in the third on account of rain while Jimmy Asmore's Decatur team won a 11 to 9 victory Saturday. The Tech squad arrived in Decatur Sunday morning and remained here for the final game of the trip.

By defeating Millikin Bradley leads the I. I. A. C. race with three wins and no defeats.

SHOW NICE TEAM.

The Tech nine made a very good appearance despite the fact seven errors were chalked up against them during the contest. Thompson and Ratkovitz, the former Bowen High school battery came through in nice style, although the big pitcher with the odd movement walked six men. Ratkovich showed a nice arm for a young catcher.

Wallace, the former Millikin athlete had a big day with the stick getting four blows and only missing a fifth by half a step. Two of his hits were infield taps in which he beat out.

Anderson on first had a busy day for the Tech team, handling 16 chances with only one boot.

ACKERMAN GOES GOOD.

Perhaps the most outstanding feature of the J. M. U. performance was the work of Ackerman behind the bat. While he has not had any previous experience the youngster handled himself in fine style and poked out two nice hits, one of which would have been good for the circuit had the wind not been blowing against it.

Fenton Switzer on second and Boger on first handled some difficult chances in good style while Art Long had a fine afternoon around third after getting the overthrow out of his system in the first frame.

But for the bad sixth frame Bunk Douglas could be credited with a very nice bit of twirling. In that stanza four doubles were registered by the visitors.

VISITORS SCORE FIRST.

Bradley scored a pair of runs in their first time at bat. Dixon walked. Smith fanned after trying to sacrifice. Douglas caught Dixon off first. Correll singled to center. DeCremer hit to Long and he heaved over first, both Correll and DeCremer scoring.

Boger opened the Millikin half of the second with a triple to left. Seyfer walked. On an attempted double steal Boger was caught at the plate. Switzer went out Thompson to Anderson. Ackerman poled a long one to left good for two, scoring Seyfer and Rose brought Ackerman in with a single.

Wallace singled in the Tech fourth. Anderson was safe at first when Douthit mussed up his tap. Fritz hit to Long and he nailed Wallace coming in to third and doubled Fritz at first. Boger heaved wide of third in an attempt to catch Anderson and he scored.

COUNT SIX RUNS.

DeCremer opened the big Bradley sixth with a double to center. Wallace beat out a hit to Douthit. Anderson walked filling the bases. Fritz doubled scoring a pair. Thompson sent Rose up on the bank in right field but the Millikin gardener wasn't able to make the catch after a hard try. Anderson scored, Ratkovick went out to Boger, Fritz scoring. Dixon singled to right scoring Thompson. Smith forced Dixon, Switzer to Douthit. Smith stole second and scored on Correll's double to right. DeCremer batting the second time in the inning, went out Douthit to Boger.

BLUE COMES BACK.

Millikin added a tally in their half of the sixth on errors by Correll Smith and Ratkovich, the latter's heave to center field allowing Douglas to count.

In the seventh three were chased over the plate. Switzer was safe on Smith's boot, Ackerman fanned. Rose walked. Long singled to left. Wallace threw the ball away allowing Switzer to score, Rose go to third and Long to second. Lefay Brown scored Rose and Long with a single to left after Douthit had fanned.

A pass to Ratkovich, after Douglas had thrown out Thompson, Dixon's out and an error by Brown, when he dropped Smith's long fly, gave Bradley its last run in the eighth.

BOX SCORE.

Bradley—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Dixon, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Smith, 2b	5	1	0	0	1	2
Correll, cf	5	1	2	2	0	1
DeCremer, ss	5	2	1	1	2	1
Wallace, lf	5	1	4	0	0	1
Anderson, 1b	4	2	1	13	3	1
Fritz, 3b	4	1	1	3	0	0
Thompson, p	4	1	2	0	8	0
Ratkovich, c	3	1	0	8	4	1
Totals	39	10	12	27	18	7

Millikin—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Rose, rf	2	1	2	1	0	0
Long, 3b	5	1	1	4	4	2
Douthitt, ss	3	0	0	1	2	2
Brown, cf	5	0	1	1	0	1
Douglas, p	4	1	0	0	3	0
Boger, 1b	4	1	1	11	1	1
xGould	0	0	0	0	0	0
Seyfer, lf	2	1	0	2	0	0
Switzer, 2b	4	1	0	4	4	1
Ackerman, c	4	1	2	3	2	0
Totals	33	6	7	27	18	7

xRan for Boger in sixth.

Score by innings—

Bradley	200 100 010—10
Millikin	020 001 300— 6

Stolen bases—Rose, Smith.
Two-base hits—Ackerman, DeCremer, Fritz, Thompson, Conell.
Three base hit—Boger.
Double plays—Thompson to Ratkovich to Anderson to Ratkovich; Long to Boger.
Base on balls—Off Douglas 2, Thompson 6.
Struck out—By Douglas 2, Thompson 5.
Hit by pitcher—By Thompson, Rose.
Passed ball—Ackerman, Ratkovich.
Umpire—Fort.
Time of game—2:00.

TWENTY-TWO HUTS REMAIN ON SQUAD

Manager Whitcraft Starts Six on Their Way.

BY RALPH H. WHITE.

Terre Taute, Ind., April 22—Three Tot candidates were placed and a like number handed their unconditional releases Monday morning by Manager Roy Whitcraft.

Infielders Doyle and Schäffer and Pitcher Kremer were sent to the Cairo club of the Kitty league, the three departing for that burg this morning.

The three given the old blue ticket were Catcher Warden, Pitcher Wheeler and Infielder "Pep" Young, a member of last year's club.

With the passing of the half dozen players the Tot squad was cut to twenty-two players, consisting of six infielders, five fly grabbers, two catchers and nine pitchers. More weeding out will be done this week so as to bring the squad under the starting wire Tuesday, April 29, with the league limit.

Pitcher Akright, secured from the Wichita Western league club on the recommendation of "Sal" Dunning, last year's champion Three-I league batsman, reported to the Tot boss today. Akright has had "fast show" experience and should prove a winner. Wehrli, formerly with the Rockford Three-I league club, was due today. The big flinger is anxious to show "Whitty" that he is good enough for a steady job.

STANDINGS

NATIONAL.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	5	1	.833
Cincinnati	4	2	.667
Chicago	4	3	.571
Brooklyn	3	3	.500
St. Louis	3	4	.429
Pittsburgh	2	4	.333
Boston	1	3	.250
Philadelphia	1	3	.250

AMERICAN.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	4	1	.800
Chicago	4	1	.800
Boston	3	2	.600
Philadelphia	3	2	.600
Washington	3	2	.600
New York	2	4	.333
Cleveland	1	3	.250
St. Louis	1	5	.167

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis	5	1	.833
Kansas City	4	1	.800
Milwaukee	3	2	.600
Louisville	2	4	.429
Minneapolis	2	4	.429
St. Paul	2	4	.333
Columbus	2	4	.333
Toledo	1	2	.333

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

NATIONAL.
St. Louis, 11; Pittsburgh, 0.
New York, 2; Boston, 1.
Brooklyn, 7; Philadelphia, 4 (ten innings).
Cincinnati, 2; Chicago, 1.

AMERICAN.
New York, 4; Washington, 2.
Philadelphia, 4; Boston, 0.
St. Louis at Detroit, rain.
Cleveland at Chicago, rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Columbus, 13; Milwaukee, 14.
Minneapolis, 16; Louisville, 2.
No others played, rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.
Toronto, 8; Jersey City, 1.
Rochester, 30; Newark, 2.
Syracuse, 6; Baltimore, 4.
Buffalo, 2-2; Reading, 1-3.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.
Mobile, 7; Birmingham, 1.
New Orleans, 5; Atlanta, 3.
Memphis, 9; Nashville, 6.
Little Rock, 8; Chattanooga, 6.

FLORIDA STATE LEAGUE.
St. Petersburg, 3; Tampa, 2.
Bradentown, 8; Daytona, 8.
Lakeland, 11; Orlando, 3.

WESTERN LEAGUE.
Oklahoma City, 7; Denver, 5.
Wichita, 8; Omaha, 3.
Tulsa, 7; Des Moines, 8.
St. Joseph, 12; Lincoln, 10.

SOUTH ATLANTIC LEAGUE.
Greenville, 11; Asheville, 2.
Charlotte, 11; Spartanburg, 9.
Augusta, 20; Macon, 7.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.
No games scheduled.

GAMES TODAY.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.
Pittsburgh at St. Louis.
Chicago at Cincinnati.
Boston at New York.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
St. Louis at Detroit.
Philadelphia at Chicago.
New York at Washington.
Boston at Boston.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.
Milwaukee at Columbus.
Toledo at Toledo.
Kansas City at Indianapolis.
Minneapolis at Louisville.

American League

ROMMEL IN FORM.

Boston, April 21—Rommel, of Philadelphia, held Boston to five hits Monday, the visitors winning 4 to 0. A pass, a bunt, singles by Strand and Simmons and a wild pitch by Quinn in the first inning gave Philadelphia two runs. In the ninth, off Piercy, Houser and Simmons doubled and the addition of a bunt and a wild pitch gave the visitors two more runs.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	200 000 002	4	6	1
Boston	000 000 000	0	5	0

Rommel and Bruggy; Quinn, Piercy and O'Neill Picinich.

Bush Effective in Pinches.

Washington, April 22—Bush proved effective in the pinches in his first game of the season Monday and New York defeated Washington 4 to 2. Three runs off Mogridge in the first inning settled the game.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
New York	300 000 010	4	5	0
Washington	00 100 100	2	6	3

Bush and Schang; Mogridge, Speece and Ruel.

College Baseball

Lafayette, 11; Catholic U., 3.
North Carolina State, 4; Wake Forest, 1.
Lebanon, 8; Georgetown, 3.
Boston college, 6; Army, 1.
Yale, 8; William and Mary, 4.
Furman, 15; Penn State, 1.
Georgia, 3; U. of Virginia, 4.
Ohio, 12; Indiana, 6.
Michigan, 9; U. of Cincinnati, 3.

SHOW OLD PEPPER OVER IN DANVILLE

Danville, Ill., April 22—The stores will close opening day, Tuesday, April 29. Danville merchants voted unanimously in favor of closing from 3 o'clock until 5:30 the day of the first Three Eye league baseball game here at a meeting Monday noon in the offices of the Retail Merchants' association in the Adams building.

As the meeting opened President Robert R. Bookwalter, of the Danville Fans association, delivered an address in favor of closing the stores, illustrating the benefits which will be derived by the city through a whole hearted support of the team.

A vote was taken following President Bockwalters talk which decided unanimously in favor of the baseball team.

REDS RALLY TO DEFEAT BRUINS

Cardinals Pound Cooper for 11 to 9 Triumph.

Cincinnati, April 22—Alexander, after pitching great ball for eight innings, weakened and the Reds tied the score in the ninth on Bressler's triple and Burns' sacrifice fly, and won 2 to 1 in the tenth on hits by Duncan, Hargrave and Pinelli. Benton was in great form, the only Chicago tally coming on a three base muff of Grimes' fly by Duncan and a sacrifice by Friberg. Roush, who strained his side while batting in Sunday's game, has been ordered by his physician to remain idle for at least a week.

Chicago—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Statz, cf	4	0	0	6	0	0
Adams, ss	4	0	2	1	4	0
Grantham, 2b	3	0	0	2	8	0
Grimes, lf	4	1	0	13	1	0
Friberg, 3b	3	0	1	0	3	1
Miller, lf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Vogel, rf	4	0	0	4	0	0
Hartnett, c	4	0	1	1	0	0
Alexander, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Totals	31	1	4	28	x16	1

xOne out when winning run scored.

Cincinnati—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Bohne, rf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Daubert, 1b	4	0	0	15	1	0
Harper, cf	4	0	1	5	0	0
Duncan, lf	4	1	2	0	0	1
Hargrave, c	4	0	2	2	0	0
Bohne, 2b	4	0	0	2	3	1
Pinelli, 3b	4	0	2	0	1	0
Cavaney, ss	3	0	1	3	2	0
Benton, p	2	0	0	0	3	0
xBressler	1	0	1	0	0	0
zzHock	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sheehan, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
Totals	33	2	9	30	16	2

xBatted for Benton in 9th.
zzRan for Bressler in 9th.

Chicago	010 000 000 0—	1
Cincinnati	000 000 001 1—	2

Two-base hit—Duncan.
Three-base hit—Bressler.
Double plays—Adams to Grantham to Grimes; Alexander to Adams to Grimes; Friberg to Grantham to Grimes.
Bases on balls—Off Benton 1.
Struck out—By Benton 1, by Sheehan 1, by Alexander 1.
Hits—Off Benton, 4 in 9 innings; off Sheehan, none in 1.
Winning pitcher—Sheehan.
Umpires—Moran, Pfirman and Powell.
Time—1:31.

CARDS SLAM BALL.

St. Louis, April 22—Pounding Wilbur Cooper, star southpaw, the Cardinals defeated the Pittsburgh Pirates Monday, 11 to 9. The Pirates got six runs in the fifth on four singles and a triple. The Cardinals duplicated the feat in the seventh on five singles and Blades' home run.

Pittsburgh—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Maranville, 2b	4	2	1	2	2	0
Carey, cf	6	1	1	3	0	1
Bigbee, lf	4	2	1	4	0	0
Traynor, 3b	4	1	3	0	1	0
Barnhart, rf	3	2	2	0	0	0
Wright, ss	5	0	2	2	4	1
Grimm, 1b	4	0	1	10	1	0
Schmidt, c	4	0	0	2	0	0
Cooper, p	3	1	1	1	0	0
Steineder, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xde, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
xMoore	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	37	9	12	24	9	3

xRan for Barnhart in ninth.

St. Louis	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Flack, rf	5	1	1	3	0	0
Blades, lf, cf	5	2	3	3	0	0
Hornsby, 2b	5	2	3	2	2	0
Bottomley, 1b	5	1	2	6	1	1
Freigau, 3b	5	1	1	0	1	0
Myers, cf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Neibersal, c	1	0	1	1	1	0
L. Bell, ss	5	2	1	3	3	1
Clemons, c	3	0	1	4	1	0
Vick, c	0	0	0	0	1	0
Doak, p	1	0	1	0	0	0
Stuart, p	2	1	2	0	0	0
Sherdel, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Schultz, lf	1	0	0	0	0	0
zDyer	0	0	0	0	0	0
zzSmith	1	1	1	0	0	0
zzzMueller	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	41	11	18	27	10	2

zRan for Clemons in sixth.
zzBatted for Myers in seventh.
zzzBatted for Vick in seventh.

Pittsburgh	100 061 100— 9
St. Louis	103 001 00x— 11

Two-base hits—Traynor, Maranville, Barnhart.
Three-base hit—Hornsby, Barnhart, Bell.
Home run—Blades.
Double plays—Freigau to Hornsby to Bottomley; Maranville to Grimm; Cooper to Wright to Grimm.
Bases on balls—Off Cooper 2, Yde 1, Stuart 4, Doak 1.
Struck out—By Cooper 1, Yde 1, Stuart 1, Sherdel 1, Doak 2.
Hits—Off Cooper, 13 in 6 innings (none out in 7th); Yde, 3 in 2; Sherdel, 6 in 3; Steineder, 2 in none (3 on, none out in 7th); Stuart, 2 in 4 (3 on, none out in 3th); Doak, 1 in 2.
Winning pitcher—Sherdel.
Losing pitcher, Steineder.
Umpires—Klem and Wilson.
Time—2:20.

GIANTS CONTINUE STREAK.

New York, April 22—The New York Giants continued their winning streak Monday, defeating the Boston Braves, 2 to 1, in the fifth straight triumph of the New York team. Bentley and Barnes met in a great pitchers' battle, Jackson's home run in the eighth tied the score and Frisch's triple with Groh on base in the ninth turned the tide of victory, Judge Landis watched the game.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	001 000 000—	1	7	0
New York	000 000 01x—	2	4	1

J. Barnes and O'Neill; Bentley and Gowdy, Alnsmith.

BRAVES TRIM PHILLIES.

Philadelphia, April 22—Brooklyn defeated Philadelphia Monday 7 to 4 in ten innings, the third extra inning game in the four played in this city this season. Deberry, the Brooklyn catcher, hit a home run in the tenth inning with two on base, winning the game and handing Carlson his second straight ten inning defeat. Grimes and Carlson were both hit hard at intervals.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	20 020 000 3—	7	12	1
Philadelphia	400 000 000 0[illegible]	4	14	2

Grimes and Deberry; Carlson and Henline.

MICE TO BLAME FOR $40,000 FIRE

Quincy, Ill., April 22—Mice gnawing matches in a general store, La Dalle, Mo., 25 miles west of here in Missouri, started a fire which destroyed three business buildings and their contents, a drug store, restaurant and physician's office and caused a loss of $40,000 early this morning.

CARP IN NEED OF READY COIN

BY FAIR PLAY.
(Copyright, 1924)

New York, April 22—While Billy Gibson has money to pay lawyers, it is by no means assured that Tommy Gibbons will knock Carpentier's block off the last of next month.

Maybe Descamps signed the agreement with Curley for advertising, knowing that the courts would enjoin the meeting. If he didn't then he doesn't deserve his reputation for cunning.

EASY WINNER.

For, unless Gibbons develops some paralytic condition he will poke Georges full of holes sure as shooting. And what will poor Georges do then?

Carpentier is broke and he would like nothing so much as to pick up a couple of hundred grand in this country. This he could do with any clever managing at all. But just how he expects to achieve this sum when a meeting with Gibbons comes first crack out of the box is difficult to see. His Eddie Kane agreed to let his man wear handcuffs in that ten round affair. If so that would explain the present situation.

CARP IS BROKE.

Carpentier is broke, as said, but his manager has kept all his money—which gives him a double stranglehold on his French fighter. Georges lost a handsome sum of savings as the result of the war and after the war when he began to pick up again, he took unto himself an expensive wife. Oh, very expensive.

He has been a foolish boy all around. When he might have been fighting he has been wintering at St. Moritz, forgetful apparently that money goes as fast as it is spent.

He will collect a bit of change in meeting Arthur Towney of England in Vienna on April 27, but not a great deal. There should be no fear as to the outcome of this battle on the part of any admirer of Carpentier's; for if he can not best Townley he had better change his citizenship so he'll be eligible for that home for down and out boxers that Jymes Joy Johnston, the boy brigand, is now promoting.

BOWLING

LIGHT HEAVYWEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Alderson	203	162	162	527	176
Lukey	225	237	191	653	214
Sheehan	163	132	135	430	143
Hill	140	140	140	420	140
Dooley	189	156	185	530	177
Handicap	33	33	33		
Total	953	860	846	2500	

FEATHER WEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Bose	150	207	173	530	177
McCarthy	108	163	127	398	133
Hill	127	124	173	424	138
Stringham	156	156	146	461	154
Cringan	132	141	187	460	153
Total	768	849	806	2412	

High score—Al Lukey, 237; high average, Al Lukey, 218.

LIGHT WEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Carmon	160	157	191	508	169
Peterson	146	145	156	447	149
Blind	140	140	140	420	140
Lentz	188	148	179	515	172
Schepanski	156	118	156	430	143
Total	790	708	822	2320	

WELTERWEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
McKinley	173	172	175	520	173
Renner	165	140	143	448	149
V. Walker	179	167	150	496	165
Jacobs	132	154	156	442	147
Bray	182	176	181	539	180
Handicap	18	18	18		
Total	849	827	823	2445	

High score—Kirk Cannon, 191; high average, Art Bray, 180.

MIDDLEWEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Cahill	153	165	199	517	172
Wastel	151	158	158	467	156
Yoder	123	148	135	406	135
Strattman	175	114	130	359	120
Moran	123	203	205	531	177
Total	635	788	827	2280	

BANTAMWEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
F. Walker	168	129	166	463	154
Foran	120	129	147	396	132
Carmody	162	145	153	455	152
Bartley	110	117	131	358	119
Sweeney	175	201	146	523	174
Handicap	22	22	22		
Total	728	743	790	2195	

High score—Walt Morton, 205; high average, Walt Morton, 177.

FLY WEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Clark	135	109	159	401	134
Romanus	169	156	125	450	150
Blair	109	112	158	379	126
Slade	140	172	203	515	172
Head	127	184	163	484	165
Total	678	733	828	2239	

HEAVY WEIGHTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Gass	127	180	133	440	147
Righter	156	152	158	466	155
Ramsey	119	121	161	401	134
Dotson	157	120	90	365	122
Larrick	161	159	143	463	155
Handicap	6	6	6		
Total	729	747	703	2158	

High score—Joe Slade, 203; high average, Joe Slade, 172.

LADIES' LEAGUE.
LOOKOUTS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Turpin	54	111	134	299	100
Shorb	138	83	147	370	123
Dickerson	98	71	114	283	94
Rave	68	69	52	189	63
Kiser	143	104	112	359	120
Hunt	92	91	161	344	115
Total	593	531	720	1844	

High score—Mrs. Shorb, 147; high average, Mrs. Shorb, 123.

Capitalizing a Misfortune.

Printers' Ink Monthly—A clerk in a retail clothing store stayed out so late at night that he felt compelled to snatch naps during store hours.

Being a relative of a member of the firm was all that saved him from being fired.

The manager, becoming exasperated, enlisted the aid of one of his assistants. The next day, the lethargic clerk found himself in the pajama department. On the counter before him was a sign which read:

"Our pajamas are of such superior quality that even the man who sells them can't keep awake."

The Lesser Evil.

"Why didn't you stop when I signaled you?" inquired the officer.

"Well," replied Mr. Chuggins, "it has taken me two hours to get this old flivver started, and it seemed a shame to stop her merely to avoid a little thing like being arrested."

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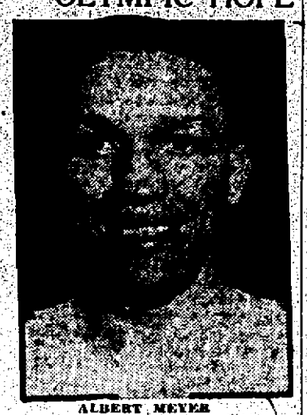

ALBERT MEYER

One of Uncle Samuel's most formidable Olympic entries in the low hurdles is Albert Meyer of the Newark A. C., holder of the world's record for the 100-yard event and the national record for the 70-yard timber topping sprint.

TEN CUT LOOSE FROM BLOOMERS

Another Fence Buster Joins Harkins Monday.

Bloomington, Ill., April 22—There are ten less for the Bloomington Fans Association to feed today, this number of releases having been handed out Monday. Four more players are to go on optional agreements within the next few days, and then Manager Harkins will have his squad cut down to decent proportions again.

Players yesterday notified of their unconditional release were: John Herman, outfielder; Clyde Henderson, pitcher; Lawrence Doolin, outfielder; Jesse Jackson, outfielder; Ed Keating, pitcher; William Glaum, pitcher; Carter Walden, infielder; Joe McGrath, infielder; A. B. Adams, infielder, and John Leary, pitcher.

Walden may be sent to one of the Dakota clubs for further development the Clinton boy showing promise along certain lines.

SOME GOOD "FARMING" TALENT.

There is some excellent talent in camp that cannot be used here this year which will undoubtedly be "farmed" to smaller class leagues for development.

Phil Lundeen, the big Norseman from Lemont, for instance, appears to have a lot of promise for a boy 19 years of age. Krause and O'Neal are a good looking pair of young infielders, and Louis McClelland, the big southpaw from Mendon should develop into a great left-hander with a season or two's experience in Class C or D leagues.

McClelland is a boy that learns rapidly, and Polonious, the Benld, Ill., infielder is another youth of great promise.

BOYS ARE STIFF AND SORE.

It was a tired, stiff and sore bunch of athletes that reported to Manager Harkins at Fans' Field yesterday. The weather has not been good for conditioning the past few days, and as a result, the men are not in as good shape as they would have been.

"Buster" Woodworth is nursing a lame arm, sustained in coming in contact with a wicked bounding drive and was not in uniform yesterday, but will be out again today in all probability.

Verne Blenkiron's twisted ankle is mending slowly but surely and the speed-boy will be out again in a few days.

OUTFIELDER SCHAEFER REPORTS.

Outfielder John Schaefer reported to Manager Harkins Monday.

He is the fence-buster, who was purchased during the winter months from London, Ontario.

John Schaefer has a notable record in baseball circles in that he has never hit under .300 in his playing career. He is regarded as an almost sure bet for one of the garden berths and with Blenkiron and Gomes will probably complete the fly-chasing troupe that will wear Bloomer regalia this summer.

He has been delayed in reporting by the illness of his wife in Toledo, O., where the Schaefer domicile is located. No doubt a large number will be out at the South Side orchard today to see the ball-paster in action if Old Sol dishes up a few more encouraging rays.

Took No Chances.

Stockholm Kasper:—"If your father heard your stupid answers it would make him turn in his grave!"

"It couldn't. He was cremated."

JOHNNY MEYERS DEFEATS SEPP

Former Champion Wins with Famous Wrist-locks.

Johnny Meyers and his famous double wristlock proved too much for August Sepp Monday night in the Regimental Headquarters Co. show.

While the Decatur favorite was defeated in two out of three falls, the fans saw more action in the 35 minutes of going than was displayed in the Sepp-Prehn battle in three hours.

Sepp gave Meyers plenty of battle especially during the first fall when he had the former champion in a bad way several times which required all his skill to free himself. After about eighteen minutes of fast work Sepp got his toe hold on Meyers and he was forced to concede the fall a minute later amid the wild shouting of the Sepp followers.

DOES QUICK WORK.

After ten minutes rest the men came back to the ring and it was only fourteen minutes before Meyers had August clamped with a double wristlock and after being forced to concede the fall it required the aid of Referee Suddith to get Sepp's arm out of the position Meyers had pinned it.

Sepp showed the effects of the punishment he had sustained while in the clamp of Meyers and the third fall had only gone a minute when Meyers got another double wristlock on August. It was impossible for him to get out of it and Meyers won the fall and match.

AFTER PARCAUT.

Following the match Meyers issued a statement in which he said he didn't know where he would be with a fellow like Sepp unless he had his wristlock. The former champion paid the local man a nice tribute and then stated that he would pay his own expenses here to meet Ralph Parcaut the Oskaloosa, Iowa, grappler on a winner take all basis. Parcaut has been after Meyers for a year or more but neither will wrestle in the others stronghold.

Jack Clifford of Clinton and a veteran of the game, gave a good account of himself in the semi-windup with Dorve Roche of Decatur. Clifford was outweighed considerably, but his experience made it a great match. Roche won the first fall in 19 minutes with a body scissors and wristlock. Roche was unable to pin Clifford in the remaining 11 minutes of the match.

Jimmy Dale and Lewis Robb, both of Decatur, met in a one fall match to open the show. Dale winning in 14 minutes with a body scissors.

Billy Suddith refereed all the matches, while Elly Love did the announcing. Bud Rucker's Moose quartet furnished the music during the evening.

INVITATIONAL MEET AT DELAND SATURDAY

De Land, Ill., April 22—The third annual invitation track and field meet to be conducted by De Land High will take place next Saturday with eleven strong high school teams entered. A grade school meet will be held in the morning and the high school meet in the afternoon. Paul Short, coach of the local high school, is in charge of the meet.

Among the teams entered are: Mahomet, Le Roy, Mount Pulaski, Farmer City, Bement, Maroa, Atwood, Monticello, Deland, Argenta and Wapella. Three loving cups will be presented to winners, one to the winner of the meet, one to the medley relay team and one to the half-mile team. Coach Short will donate a watch to the individual star, both in the field meet and scholastic standing.

SPORT BRIEFS

Philadelphia, —Mickey Walker, world's welter-weight champion, gained a 10 round decision over Johnny Gill, York, Pa.

Memphis, Tenn.—Farmer Lodge, St. Paul heavy-weight, knocked out Okla Paul heavy-weight, knocked out Okla- first round of a scheduled eight round bout.

Chicago, April 22.—Sammy Mandell, Rockford, last night outboxed Billy Henry in a 10 round fight at East Chicago. Henry, despite the fact that he was outpointed, pressed the fight. They weighed 133 pounds.

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Opening Series Shows Interesting Figures

John B. Foster Compares Results of 1924 As In Comparison With 1923 Battles.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.
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New York, April 22 — The first series in the major leagues this season offers a splendid subject for contrast with the first series of 1923 and there may be an object lesson in it. Perhaps things are beginning to shape up early for some surprises.

Take the Yanks and the Red Sox for instance. In the first series between them in 1923, New York won four games. This year the Yanks won one and lost two. They almost lost three straight. Their net loss on the basis of last season is five games. That kind of a total makes championships in a tight fight.

CLEVELAND-DETROIT.

Then there is the Washington and Athletics meetings. In 1923 the Athletics won three and lost one. This year they won two and lost one. The fourth game wasn't played. If the Senators can win it when it is played, they may be regarded as better than last year. If they cannot win it the Athletics may be regarded as fully as good as they were in 1923 right now.

Cleveland and Detroit broke even in 1923 at their first meeting. This year the Detroit team led two to one with a postponed game in the offing. If the Tigers can hold Cleveland two to one or even at fifty fifty, both teams live up to form with Detroit starting as the aggressor. As the sun mounts the Cleveland hitters should become more and more powerful against all teams.

SOX A SURPRISE.

The Chicago White Sox are the big surprise along with the Boston Red Sox. This year the Sox thrashed St. Louis three to one in the first series. Last year each won a game and the third was a tie. The Sox are distinctly better in the first coming to grips and the Browns are showing a disposition to vacillate even as they did in the past. If Johnny Evars can keep the fire going under the Chicago team it may be that the club which journeyed from Winter Haven with rumors of all kind in its wake, will be the American League dark horse instead of St. Louis. The Browns are a queer lot. They must be handled with kid gloves to make them trot in harness.

GIANTS AR

BAIT — FOR — BUGS

By H. V. Millard

Manager Harold Ireland gave the Commies a well deserved rest today owing to the frigid weather. It is the first lay off the men have had since reporting here and will do them considerable good.

Dick Bonnelly, the new hurler sent here by the Kansas City club, arrived during the wee small hours of the morning. According to a story sent out of Kansas City and published in this morning's St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Bonnelly was secured by Howard Wakefield for his Lincoln club of the Western League.

Unless Decatur fans put their shoulder to the wheel on the show "Heads or Tails" the Fans' association is not going to clean up the $2,800 needed for early season expenses. About $2,200 worth of tickets have been sold and it will require another $1,000 worth to put over the project. With $2,200 in the till this is no time to fail.

You fans who have been out at Staley Field to see the Commies in action haven't seen any one out there who has shown enough to be classed with Howard Fitzgerald. His absence has left a big hole that must be plugged and it is going to take some real money to get the fellow needed. About the best way to fill that gap is for all the fans to get in the hand wagon on this show. The opportunity is yours and the show is Thursday and Friday nights.

To an outsider it looks as if a very good way to clean up the unsold tickets, the remaining days left before the curtain goes up is to organize a flying squadron of five well known citizens. Some people will turn down one but not many will pass up five of their friends.

There isn't a fan in the city but who would give up the price of a ticket if they were approached to help out baseball. They have always responded in great shape and last season the city received a great amount of advertising over the country (though a ball club in first place from June 2 to Sept. 10. It is only a question of seeing the fans, but there remains but two days to do the seeing.

Dick Breen has an over abundance of outfielders for his Tractors and only three can be carried. Besides Platte, Lebeau and Callahan, Schultz of Chicago U. Swanson and Murray, the latter secured from the Cubs and Langford, are showing fine form. Murray is said to have the best arm seen in Peoria since the days Bobby Veach was backing up against the right field wall and throwing them out at the plate.

Peoria fans were very much interested in the Commie-Flint series for according to Burt Powell of the Transcript, there were a number of phone calls at that office to learn the scores. Guess the Tractor fans want to get the low down on the Commies.

Franklin Fort, the Commie recruit hurler had a chance to see how it is to be umpiring instead of pitching. He was rushed into service Tuesday for the Millikin-Bradley game.

The youngster was put in hot water right off the jump when the question of how many bases on an overthrow came up in the Bradley first half of the first. No agreement had been made on it and the Tech men scored a pair of runs on Art Long's wild heave.

Fort was king among the Commies at the hotel Monday night when they learned he had been paid real money for his services. No doubt the next time Millikin plays, the whole Commie club will be out there.

Think of it! Ten or fifteen dollars thrust at a ball player during the lean training season. Well it is just like a pay day during the regular season.

A number of the Danville baseball players were guests of the Rotary club yesterday noon in the Cannon town. They sure are enthused over in that town and to think that for two years they were near the bottom of the league. If Danville isn't entitled to a good ball club this season what city in the country is?

A heavy rain Sunday made it impossible for the Vets and Kalamazoo club to open their practice series Monday. Marty Becker's club has done pretty well in this loop breaking even with Decatur and Bloomington.

Kile MacWhirter who is attending Bethany college at Bethany, West Virginia is home for a few days vacation. Kile saw the Millikin-Bradley game yesterday and was greeting old friends.

The Nut Cracker by Joe Williams

The new chess champion breaks into print, after the manner of the flistic little holders. . . . Editor's note.

CHAMP LASKER SIGNS BIG MOVIE CONTRACT.

Hollywood, Cal.—Mannie Lasker, winner of the all-age heavyweight chess championship, today signed with the Strength and Beauty Film company, and will be starred in a wild west serial entitled "Two-Gun Pete," a French translation from the popular novel, "What Have You There, Little Girl?"

CHESS KING REVEALS SECRET OF SUCCESS.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Addressing the national convention of Iron Ear Ring Molders here today, Mannie Lasker, Babe Ruth of chess, admitted that the secret of his phenomental success was hardly worth mentioning.

Three hours later at the close of the address the audience agreed with him.

CHESS CHAMPION FROWNS ON LIGHTER PAWNS.

Boston, Mass.—The proposal to eliminate the heavy, far-flying pawns from chess was bitterly condemned here today by Mannie Lasker, superman of the sport.

"I think it is ridiculous," growled the champion.

"It is," conceded the reporter, viewing his first game of chess.

LASKER CRIES "BRING ON THE WILD BULL."

New York, N. Y.—That Mannie Lasker intends to be a real he-champion was indicated today by his announcement that he would bar nobody. The champion is irked at insinuations that he is ducking "The Wild Bull of the Pajamas."

"All I demand is a fair cut," he explained.

It is said the champion is partial to inside cuts, well done."

GIVES FULL CREDIT TO LUXATED IRON.

Chicago, Ill. — Mannie Lasker, strong man of chessdom, today attributed his astounding muscular development to constant use of Luxated Iron.

"It brought me the championship," declared Lasker in a statement which seemed to smack of irony.

SEE INFLUENCE IN TILDEN CASE

Los Angeles, Cal., April 22—Charles Paddock, star sprinter, left here yesterday for Des Moines, Ia. to appear in special sprint races at the Drake relays April 25 and 26.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 22—Johnny Dundee lost a decision to an ancient rival last night when Rocky Kansas outpointed him in 10 rounds of heavy slugging in which the double champion was later sprawled on the canvas and defeated.

Dundee world's feather weight and junior lightweight champion entered the ring at 132 pounds. Kansas weighed 134½.

Rocky pushed the fighting at the start and repeatedly got his left jab through to Dundee's jaw. Only twice did Dundee attempt his favorite trick of bouncing off the ropes.

Indianapolis, April 22—A new world's record in the doubles and high marks in other events were set yesterday for entries in the women's national bowling tournament in progress here to shoot at Mrs. Gene Acker and Mrs. G. Smith at Chicago, with a score of 1,124 established a new worlds record in the doubles yesterday.

New York, April 22—Holcombe Ward, chairman of the 1924 amateur rule committee, whose report to the executive committee of the United States Lawn Tennis association made public last Sunday is thought to have influenced the resignation from the Davis cup and Olympic teams of William T. Tilden, today declined comment on the action of the national tennis champion.

Tilden's withdrawal, based upon his desire "to relieve the committee of embarrassment," followed publication of the report signed by Mr. Ward which the champion asserted pointed to him as an "evil influence" because of his status as a player-writer.

The executive committee had informed Tilden that if the facts contained in Mr. Ward's report continued the same in 1925 when the player-writer interpretation goes into effect, the committee would probably decide that they constituted a violation of the amateur rule.

A member of the Davis cup committee pointed out that the committee felt no embarrassment over Tilden's status and that, as far as tennis authorities were concerned, Tilden is still eligible to play.

If the champion adheres to his withdrawal, the burden of Davis cup defense will fall upon "Little Bill" Johnston.

THAW EXCITEDLY DENOUNCES GRAY

Courtroom Cleared Following Wild Outburst.

Philadelphia, April 22.—Just as the Harry K. Thaw sanity trial recessed for luncheon, Thaw rushed to the press table and burst into an excited speech in denunciation of William A. Gray, who had been addressing the jury in opposition to Thaw's release.

Thaw said that he had not been excited because of Mr. Gray's speech but was nervous because of the danger of losing the jury if certain records were introduced.

LOUDLY AND RAPIDLY.

Under the common law, Thaw told those around the press table, a juror might be withdrawn. He talked loud and rapidly.

"Now, wait a minute," Thaw cried. "My mother wants to talk to you, too, don't go away."

Thaw's mother, however, sat calmly and gave no indication of planning to join in the talk.

COUNSEL NONPLUSSED.

J. M. Patterson, counsel for Thaw, came over to Thaw and protested against "unreasonable questioning" and called out angrily, "Let Mr. Thaw alone. He is entitled to the same privileges as any other American citizen."

When told Thaw had volunteered the information, Mr. Patterson appeared nonplussed. Thaw still was gesticulating when the courtroom was cleared.

MECHANICSBURG.

The Woman's Club will meet Wednesday afternoon. It will be election of officers.

Misses Alice McCann, Grace Riddle, Ollie Hampton, Mrs. Grace Lobdill and Merrick Halford attended the Easter pageant at the Christian church in Illiopolis Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Malcolm and children Violet and Kenneth Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Short and children Eleanor and Russel of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Short and son of Niantic spent Sunday with Robert Short and family.

Russel Ostermeire and Lee Barrett of Champaign spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. John Ostermire.

Miss Mary Detil, Jr., spent Saturday in Springfield.

Several of the young people enjoyed a wiener roast at Garvey pasture Monday.

The Royal Neighbors will hold their regular meeting Thursday and initiation Thursday night.

Mrs. Mae Duetchart spent several days in Bloomington.

Miss Grace Lee of Taylorville spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. Thomas Sample.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Bell and son Bobbie of Springfield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Crane.

DANFORTH CUTS AWAY REDTAPE

Gets Another Chance for Pana Soldier.

UNCLE SAM TO AID

Help Carl Lefever in Fight for Life.

Pana, April 22—Joy returns today in the humble home of ex-service man Carl W. Lefever, because Uncle Sam will help him fight for his life.

Word was received Tuesday morning that Lefever is to report to army doctors at St. Louis for examination preliminary to his admission to a government hospital for treatment for a pulmonary trouble due to gassing in France, that developed many months ago.

HIS YEAR CUT SHORT.

Carl Lefever was a member of the Forty-seventh Machine Gun company and served with the army in France a whole year minus only ten days. The reason he did not complete his year in active service was that he was gassed by the Germans and had to be sent back to an army hospital for treatment. That treatment was apparently successful and he was sent home to Pana, where he has since been living at 615 South Walnut street, with his wife and little child.

Some months ago, a serious pulmonary trouble developed. Doctors said it was due to having been gassed.

HELP, SLOW.

Lefever appealed without result to the government for treatment in some hospital. There was so much redtape connected with his re-admission to a government hospital that he had about given up hope of any help when Dr. Roscoe E. Danforth, appointed by Commander John J. Burlington of the State American Legion, as a member of the soldiers' rehabilitation board, got busy. Dr. Danforth is formerly of Taylorville. He went to Chicago recently and took a pair of shears with him. He must have cut a lot of redtape. At any rate he got attention and the order came through Tuesday morning for Lefever to travel to St. Louis at government expense for the examination as to his condition.

WASTED AWAY.

Lefever was a magnificent specimen of midwest manhood but his friends have seen the big-boned man drifting into a shadow of his former self, with genuine grief for him and for his wife and child. Now they are cheered with the Lefevers over the new chance in his fight for his life.

MOWEAQUA HAS EASTER SERVICES

Moweaqua, April 22 — Easter was especially observed in all the churches and there was a good attendance at all services. Flowers and ferns adorned the chancels in each church.

At the Christian church at night the program was presented by Martha Grace Weaver, Brother Cross' class, Martha Grace Weaver, Rev. J. M. Cross, Mrs. Pratz's class, Erma Jacob; Marie Bilyeu, Lois Lawrence, Mrs. Pratz's class, Harold Boyer.

Group of boys, class four, Lucile Procter, Minnie Scribner, Ruth Wolfs, Dwight Kirk, Margaret Sims, Genevieve Cross, Martha Weaver, Ella Kirk, Genevieve Cross, Mrs. King Bartherford's class, Aileen Sims, Helen Cross, girls of Mrs. Brookshier's class, Mrs. Dow James McGrath.

At the Presbyterian church the program was by Miss Anna Mae Birkitt, congregation, orchestra, choir, Fred Williams, Elizabeth Nalback, Loraine Tate, Mrs. A. D. Kyner, Robert and Tommy Nalbach, Alice Beck, Georgia McDaniel, Mrs. Parker's class, Nina Cameron, Mrs. Emma Tate, choir.

METHODIST CHURCH.

The Easter service at the Methodist church began Friday evening with an impressive candle light service, at which Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Kirk of Cerro Gordo, with Miss Kathryn Day at the organ furnished appropriate music on the anniversary of Christ's crucifixion.

On Sunday morning, Mrs. Edna Sollars led an inspiring prayer meeting at 6 o'clock, which was followed by a sacred concert on the church steps by the brass quintet. Mrs. C. R. Williams sang a solo at the morning service and in the evening the program was given by Miss Kathryn Day, Mrs. R. W. Snyder, C. R. Williams, Beginners department, Mary Ellen Howard, Helen Sanner, Beginners class, Virginia Andrews, Virginia May Metcalf, Mary Dobson, Mrs. Dobson, Miss Marjorie and George Dobson, Mrs. Dobson, Virginia Andrews, Mary Dobson, M'Lisse Snyder, Junior department.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Participants in the splendid program at the Baptist church were orchestra, Young ladies class, Gladys Drew, Henrietta Hays, Hester Zeitz, four girls, Marie Beall, Edward Sherherd, little tots, Miss Kreinlein's class, Boys of Miss Lois Gregory's class, John Gordon, Lloyd Lucas, Miss Deborah Gregory's class, Robert Newcome, Mary Beck, John Gordon, two girls and two boys, Edith Attebery, Bobby Humphrey, Miss Lina Hudson's class, Virginia Armstrong's class, Margaret Herbert, Mary Jane Snyder, Neva Brookshier, Miss Mary Gregory, and Mrs. Glenn Tolly.

BRIEFS.

Rev. J. H. Cozad began a revival service in Pana at the Baptist church Monday evening. Rev. T. J. Phillips will preach here next Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Jordan, Mrs. Helen Longenbaugh and Elizabeth spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Duffy in Decatur.

Miss Sarah Dale of Taylorville schools was here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Frazee had an Easter house party, having all their children home except Miss Lois, who is teaching in Union College, Barbourville, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Frazee and Mr. and Mrs. Warren Riverson of St. Louis and Miss Dora Frazee who is teaching in Rock Island were home for the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Snyder and daughter Betty joined the reunion on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dade Watson and son of Decatur were Easter guests of M. T. Watson.

Miss Blanche Garrett of Millikin university was home for the Easter vacation.

Peter Mangers filled his pulpit at Cubs, Ill., Sunday.

Mrs. June Shellhaus were called from Chicago Saturday, to the bedside of her uncle, Lee Allison, who is critically ill.

Malcolm Stewart was home for the week-end.

CATTLE SHIPMENTS.

Simon Primmer received a load of cattle from Kansas City a few days since. Heitmeyer & Pinkston shipped a mixed load on Thursday.

David Bear of Belleville was here Friday.

Mel Sadler of Grove City, was a business visitor Friday.

James Barem and E. C. Wilson of Decatur were here Friday.

Miss Flo Reighley was a week-end guest of her sister, Miss May, in Paris.

Wilson & Riley have moved their old building from their lot and will build a garage thereon.

Mrs. Edna Sollars house has been moved west on her lots, to make room for the oil station. James Hedges is to build.

CROWD SHERIFF OFF ROAD; JAIL

Danville, Ill., April 22—When H. M. Herman and Guy Whitney, of Chicago, crowded an automobile off the Dixie Highway early this morning, they did not know the occupant was the sheriff of Vermilion county.

The sheriff followed them to Danville and found their car contained 45 cans of alcohol, and as a result both are now in the county jail.

DAWES SAILS FOR U. S. ON LEVIATHAN

Says Clarity Prime Factor of Report.

Southampton, England, April 22 — (AP)—Before embarking on the liner Leviathan for New York today Brig-Gen. C. G. Dawes in a brief statement, emphasized the effort which had been made by his committee to put its reparation report in terms of the utmost clarity—a factor which he believed had contributed notably to the support given the document.

"I have done all my talking" he said, "in the experts report which speaks for itself and I don't intend to go into competition with it. Nothing I could say would make it clearer."

WHERE WILL HE SMOKE?

Southampton, April 22—The latest details of the recent fire aboard the Leviathan state that the first report indicated the outbreak was of a serious nature. The dock's fire brigade was on the scene within two or three minutes of receiving the call and as the flames had then obtained a good hold, the town brigade was also summoned.

The fire originated in a saloon pantry in the forward part of the ship and the pantry was considerably damaged. The flames spread rapidly and one of the smoking rooms was damaged. A large quantity of woodwork was burned, but the last estimates of the damage indicated the effect of the fire had been exaggerated.

HEARST DENIES LEASES KNOWN

Washington, April 22—Replying to an inquiry by Senator Stanfield, Republican, Oregon, William R. Hearst said in a telegram made public today that the testimony of H. W. Ballard of Los Angeles before the senate oil committee that the Teapot Dome leasing proposal was a matter of general knowledge at the Republican national convention in 1920 "is supremely silly."

"If your committee would give any credit to such a nonsensical statement as that" Mr. Hearst's telegram said, "You would be summoning every member of that Republican convention."

DEMOS DISCUSS CONVENTION PLANS

New York, April 22— Members of the sub-committee of arrangements for the Democratic national convention in Madison Square Garden in June met today to discuss details of the big meeting.

Plans for the convention are well advanced, according to Cordell Hull, chairman of the national Democratic committee.

Five names stand out as having been prominently suggested as candidates for temporary chairman of the convention, Mr. Hull said. These are Representative Garrett of Tennessee, Senator Harrison, Mississippi, Homer S. Cummings, Connecticut, Thomas R. Marshall, Indiana, and Senator Robinson, of Arkansas.

MRS. SALSTAD IS MOTHER OF SON

Stork Adds Complication to Case.

Eau Claire, Wis., April 22— A son was born Saturday night at a hospital here to Mrs. Leona Sallstad-Richardson, still the legal wife of Edward J. Sallstad, former Eau Claire manufacturer, who is serving a four year sentence at the Green Bay reformatory on a charge of arson, it became known today.

The father of the boy is Ross T. Richardson, who married Mrs. Sallstad on Christmas day in 1921. They lived together until a few days after Sallstad and his "sunshine girl," Dorothy Anderson, were arrested at Napa, Cal., on Dec. 5, 1923.

DECIDED TO SEPARATE.

When Sallstad was positively identified they decided to separate until Mrs. Sallstad could obtain a divorce and the required year had elapsed, when they planned to remarry.

Mrs. Sallstad's divorce suit is on the March calendar of the Circuit court here, but has not been brought up for disposition.

THIS NEWS SHOULD HAVE BEEN STOPPED

Sacramento, Cal., April 22— Since the beginning of 1924 there have been 4,758 cases of smallpox reported in California.

SAYS "PETTY GRAFT" HANDLED LIQUOR

Washington, April 22— A department of justice explanation of how seized liquor disappeared from the department through "petty graft" was placed before the Daugherty committee today toward the end of a long session devoted largely to testimony by Chairman Thompson of the Federal Trade commission about the department's failures in prosecuting lumber interests under the anti trust laws.

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Dunham's Cocoanut —Half-pound package 24c

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Brooms — Special; well made; clean straw 55c

Prunes; in two-pound boxes; extra fine; per box 31c

Beechnut Spaghetti —In tins; with cheese and tomato sauce; can 12½c

Purity Rolled Oats; per box 7c

Chauffeur's Soap; more sold every day; bar 7½c

Peanut Butter; in one-pound glass jars 25c

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IS IT HIS MOUTH OR HIS BRAIN?

By Blosser

MOM'N POP

By Taylor

THE MYSTERY BASKET—PART ONE

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

The Brave Little Tailor

"Why, your majesty," spoke up Mister Muggs.

"Where are we going now?" asked Nancy.

"The next station is Once-Upon-a-Time Land," said Mister Muggs, "is where the Brave Little Tailor lives. He was the one who killed seven flies with one swat. He was so proud of himself he went out into the world to see his fortune. Everywhere he went he boasted that he had killed seven at one blow, and every one thought he meant seven people. The king gave him three tasks to do, and when he succeeded in accomplishing them the king gave him his daughter for a wife and half of his kingdom."

Away they went over seven mountains and through seven gorges, and came at last to the kingdom of the Brave Little Tailor.

Each castle stood on top of two peaks, and running up and down the mountain, dividing it straight into two equal parts, was a stone wall—as high and as thick as the Great Wall of China.

"What's that for?" asked Mister Muggs of a beggar standing beside the road.

"That's a spite wall," answered the beggar. "When the king found out that the man who had married his daughter was only a tailor instead of a mighty warrior, he got so mad that he had his army build the wall between the two halves of his kingdom. The tailor and his wife live in one castle and the king lives in the other."

"You don't say so," cried Mister Muggs. "A pretty kettle of fish. I call it."

"Yes, sir, I know," said the beggar. "That's really what made the king so mad. He found out that after all his boasting, his son-in-law had killed seven flies at one blow instead of seven people, as he supposed. Every time he hears something more about the way the tailor outwitted him, he has his army put another row of stones on top of the wall. It will soon be up to the sky."

"Tut, tut!" exclaimed Mister Muggs. "Nancy and Nick, we'll go and see this king and see if we can't fix things up. I always liked the Brave Little Tailor when I read about him. He was a merry fellow, and that is more than can be said for some people I know.

The little car went right up to the front door of the king's castle and at that minute the king stepped out to give an order to his army. "I've just heard something more about that tailor son-in-law of mine," he cried. "Put another row of stones on top of the wall, soldiers."

"Why, your majesty," spoke up Mister Muggs, "if it was not for the Brave Little Tailor you wouldn't be living now. He killed the two giants who would have killed you and your people, and he caught the unicorn which would have wounded you when you were hunting, and he trapped the wild boar."

"But he did it all by trickery," cried the king. "That isn't bravery."

"Wits are better than muscle," said Mister Muggs, "and he has enough wit for ten people."

"That's so," laughed the king suddenly in a good humor. "Men, tear the whole wall down and go over to the other castle and invite my daughter and her tailor husband in to have lunch with me. As for you three, you'd better stay, too, and we'll make a party of it."

(To Be Continued)

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A PUZZLE A DAY

AGO ATE AT SO AT SAND AM ARE EAT SHAY.

The ten words shown above do not make a sensible sentence. But they can be made into a sentence of nine words, without changing their present order; simply by changing the spacings, and adding punctuation marks.

Yesterday's answer:

P A R
—R A P

9 9

If the letters P, A and R each represent a different figure; and the letter "P" is a figure one higher than "R," the result of the subtraction must be 99. Examples: 362—263 result in 99; 564—465 result in 99; 150—051 result in 99, etc.

School News

The Mothers' club of the E. A. Gastman school will meet at 3:30 Friday afternoon. As a part of the program, there will be reports from the state meeting in Springfield by Mrs. E. J. Moreland, Mrs. Grover Miniey and Mrs. Lynn M. Barnes. Miss Keogh, with her 1A grade, will give a demonstration reading lesson.

Miss Edna Logan took her 4A grade of forty pupils through the Mueller Manufacturing company Monday in connection with their study of the industries of Decatur.

The Bird and Tree club exhibit, which the H. B. Durfee school had at the state Parent-teachers' meeting in Springfield, has been set up in the hall at the school for the pupils to see.

Miss Telling, who has been under quarantine, was back in school Monday. Miss Stapp is still absent from school and Mrs. Harlan is substituting for her.

Mrs. Stacey and Miss Wise, teachers in the Warren school, accompanied the fourth and fifth grades on a tour through the Staley Manufacturing company Monday. These classes are studying Macon county and now are interested in the study of Decatur's foreign industries. A special street car was provided for the children.

Miss Jordan was absent Monday because of illness.

MARRIED 50 YEARS ON APRIL 27

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Orchard to Observe Golden Wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Orchard, 1028 North Main street, will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary Sunday, April 27. Owing to the recent illness of Mrs. Orchard, the day will be celebrated very quietly. There will be a family dinner in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Edward Bellsmith, and they will be at home to their friends from 3 to 5 in the afternoon, in their own home.

Mr. and Mrs. Orchard were married in Indiana but have resided in Decatur, at their present home, for the last thirty-five years.

BROTHER OF ELBERT GARY HAS SUCCESS AS DIVINE HEALER

New York, April 22—The Rev. O. J. Gary, brother of Elbert H. Gary, chairman of the United States Steel corporation, has arrived here from an eighteen months visit to Chile, where, he said, he had met with great success in divine healing among the natives.

Asked to explain his methods of healing, Mr. Gary, who has been a Methodist clergyman for forty-one years, said:

"CURED BY GOD."

"I anointed them with oil and then prayed over them. They are cured by the power of God; it is prayer and faith that relieves them of their ills."

He said his most successful demonstration was in the case of a daughter of a former Chilean consul at Philadelphia, who had a temperature of 104 during an illness. Mr. Gary said he restored the child to health.

Ingrown Toe Nail

Turns Out Itself

A noted authority says that a few drops of "Outgro" upon the skin surrounding the ingrowing nail reduces inflammation and pain and so toughens the tender, sensitive skin underneath the toe nail, that it can not penetrate the flesh, and the nail turns naturally outward almost over night.

"Outgro" is a harmless antiseptic manufactured for chiropodists. However, anyone can buy from the drug store a tiny bottle containing directions.

A Wonderful New Heart and Stomach Remedy

Doctors Are Surprised How Quickly and Nicely This New Remedy Acts in Such Cases.

Many thousands are taking this remedy every month and finding wonderful relief. If you have irregular heart action, shortness of breath, indigestion, constipation, bloating, weak nerves, poor sleep and that tired feeling, you owe it to yourself to give this new remedy, Nuga-Tone, a trial. It will be a great surprise to you the way it brings you back. Nuga-Tone builds strong nerves and increases most wonderfully the power of endurance, gives fine digestion, good appetite and regular bowel movement, brings sound, refreshing sleep, lots of enthusiasm, ambition and pep. If you are not feeling just right, try it. It costs you nothing if you are not benefited. It is pleasant to take and you will begin to feel better right away. Take it for just a few days and if you do not feel better and look better, take the remainder of the package to the druggist and he will give you your money back. Manufacturers of Nuga-Tone know as well what it will do for you, the reason all druggists to guarantee it and refund your money when you are not satisfied.

Recommended, guaranteed and for sale by all druggists.

THIS BRIGHT BABY GIRL

Brought Joy to Home. Mrs. Price's Health Restored By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Scootac, Pa.—"I never felt like working, and when I would try to do any work standing on my feet, I would just drag around all day long. At times I would have terrible pains and would be in bed three or four days. I was in this condition about a year when I saw Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised in the papers. I had heard different women say it was good for women's troubles, and my aunt thought it would help me as it had helped her. So I took the Vegetable Compound and it brought things right, and I was in good shape before I became a mother again. I believe it helps at birth, too, as with both my other babies I suffered a great deal more than with this one. I thank you a thousand times for the good your medicine has done me."—Mrs. Robert Price, Scootac, via Lotkhaven, Pa.

In a recent country-wide canvass of purchasers of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, 98 out of every 100 report they were benefited by its use.

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Or put a teaspoonful of Climalene in a kettle of boiling water, and drop your tarnished silverware into it for five minutes. You will be astonished at the shining success. Further proof of Climalene's magic cleansing qualities.

So everywhere Climalene is performing its twofold purpose of softening water instantly, perfectly, harmlessly; and of cleaning as well, whether it be dishes, fine fabrics, woodwork, tile, or the tender human skin.

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Posiam Soap 25c
Listerine Soap 25c
Resinol Soap 25c
$1.00 Pond's Compacts, 50c Pond's Rouge—Both 75c
50c Lashbrow, 50c Pompeian Rouge, Both 75c
50c Sanitol Tooth Brush, Two 35c tubes Sanitol Tooth Paste—Both 75c
50c Squibbs' Dental Cream, 50c Pro-phy-lac-tic Tooth Brush—Both 75c
$1.00 Gem Razor, Complete; 50c Gem Blades (Seven)—Both 75c

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SEEK BUS LINES IN PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia, April 22—The Fifth Avenue Coach company of New York, it is reported here, is preparing to apply to the city council for permission to operate bus lines in Philadelphia, supplementing surface, subway and elevated lines. The local traction company has already asked for a perpetual franchise to operate busses without any franchise tax and with ten cent fares.

1923 GOOD YEAR FOR INSURANCE

Jefferson City, Mo., April 22—Insurance companies fared better in Missouri in 1923 than in the previous year, according to the report of the State Superintendent of Insurance just issued. Net premiums of all classes of companies in 1923, were $110,565,152 compared with $99,922,-923 in 1922.

CAN'T BEAT "TIZ" WHEN FEET HURT

Just take your shoes off and then put those weary, shoe-crinkled, aching, burning, corn-pestered, bunion-tortured feet of yours in a "Tiz" bath. Your toes will wriggle with joy; they'll look up at you and almost talk and then they'll take another dive in that "Tiz" bath.

When your feet feel like lumps of lead—all tired out—just try "Tiz." It's grand—it's glorious. Your feet will dance with joy; also you will find all pain gone from corns, callouses and bunions.

There's nothing like "Tiz." It's the only remedy that draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up your feet and cause foot torture.

A few cents buy a box of "Tiz" at any drug or department store—don't wait. Ah! how glad your feet get; how comfortable your shoes feel.

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Several Industries at Peak of Production

Coal, Automobiles, Lumber, Cement, Sugar, Textiles Show Slump.

BY J. C. ROYLE
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New York, April 22.—Reports from widely separated sections of this country indicate that peak production in several major industries has been passed for the time being at least. Coal, automobiles, lumber, cement, sugar and textiles have shown a slump recently, although in each case the falling off has been slight in comparison with production in other good years.

The first indication of the trend has been the slackening in car loadings. Forward buying in large quantities has become almost obsolete in some lines of business. Merchants buy in small lots and depend on the common carriers to land their purchases promptly at the freight elevators. Consequently a drop in purchases is immediately reflected in the freight cars loaded.

DETROIT EMPLOYMENT.

The latest reports on employment in Detroit, the surest barometer of the automobile industry, show a further drop of 652 workers to 235,-976. This compares with 225,081 at this time last year, and is 5,355 below the high mark reached this year in February.

The Pere Marquette road, which handles considerable raw material for the automobile factories, as well as the finished machines, loaded and received from connections only 25,-627 cars from April 1 to April 15 inclusive. This compares with 29,045 for the corresponding period of last year, and with 28,000 for the corresponding period of last month.

SALES INCREASE.

In spite of these facts, automobile sales are showing an increase, with nearly all the larger producing companies reporting improvement since the first week of the month. The total Ford sales are expected to reach 225,000 by May 1 and Dodge weekly sales passed the 6,000 mark for the first time in the history of company in the period ending April 12.

CURTAILS PRODUCTION.

Slackening in some iron and steel lines has produced curtailments in bituminous coal and in Missouri, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Kentucky and Kansas thousands are idle and other thousands are working only part time. As has been pointed out in these columns, there are approximately 200,000 more workers in the bituminous mines than are required to produce a normal supply and there are hundreds more mines prepared to produce coal than are needed except for emergencies.

Lumber production has suffered slightly but neither the lumber men and millers of the west coast, the cotton men of the south or the manufacturers of the east take seriously the danger that Japan will offer any retaliation for exclusion measures by refusal to buy American goods and products. It is pointed out that Japan has not yet recovered from the effects of the earthquake of last September. The country is still in urgent need of lumber and steel products, woolen textiles and other American goods.

CLEVELAND WANTS TO OWN ITS PAVEMENT

Cleveland, April 22—Extension of the movement for municipal ownership to include paving, is a possibility here. Mayor Townes has proposed a measure which would provide for a municipal paving department and M. F. Bramley, head of the firm which has done much of the city's paving in the last two years, says he favors having the city conduct such a department. "It would cost $500,000 to start such a department," he added, "but that amount would be saved the first year. Thereafter the saving would exceed $500,000 annually." The city now is engaged in furnishing light.

ATLANTA BUILDING BELOW 1923 TOTAL

Atlanta, April 22—Building operations here are below those of last spring, but nevertheless have totaled over $6,000,000 in the first quarter. There is a good demand for all available skilled workers and material prices are firming up under healthy sales.

INCOMES INCREASE.

Chicago, April 22.—Net corporate incomes of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway company in 1923 was $42,037,801, compared with $34,-352,370, according to the annual report made public Monday.

Surplus to credit of profit and loss was $165,149,178, compared with $141,-534,082 as of Dec. 31, 1922.

Operating revenues aggregated $238,683,735, and operating expenses $173,076,268, for 1923, compared with operating revenue of $225,124,544, and expenses of $166,904,377 in 1922.

C., R. I. AND P. REPORT.

Chicago, April 22.—The balance of income of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway company for 1923 after payment of all interest, taxes and other fixed charges, was $4,481,-802.48, according to the forty-fourth annual report of the company, made public tonight. Full dividends amounting to $3,566,732, were paid, leaving a surplus for profit and loss of $914,267.48, the equivalent of $1.23 a share on the common stock as compared with 96 cents a share in 1922.

LEAVES $800 TO FAVORITE BARBER

Chicago, April 22—His favorite barber was bequeathed $800 by Theodore A. Koehs, former head of a barbers supply company, whose will has been probated. The bulk of Koehs $625,000 estate was left to his widow.

COMMODITY NOTES

Chicago—The Chicago clothing manufacturers will enter a new year May 1 with wage scales unchanged from those in effect for the last 12 months.

FLAX.

Fort Worth—Experiments in flax growing on a commercial scale will be made in Texas this year. A large acreage now is being planted near Plainview, where experiments on a small scale were successful last year.

HEATING MACHINERY.

St. Louis—Over 200,000 oil burners for heating purposes have been installed in various cities throughout the country to date by the Oliver Company of St. Louis.

LIVESTOCK.

Seattle—All livestock in yards of the North Pacific cities are showing price recessions ranging from 25 cents a hundred on best grade steers to $1 on spring lambs. Desirable butcher hogs are selling at $8 and below.

Springfield, Ill.—There are ten percent fewer brood sows on Illinois farms at present than a year ago, according to a canvass made by state agricultural officials.

JEISEYVILLE MAN SERIOUSLY INJURED

Car Turns Over After Invading Ditch.

Taylorville, April 22—James Davis of Jeiseyville suffered a deep laceration of the head Sunday afternoon when the car in which he was riding turned over one-half mile from Pawnee.

He was rushed to the St. John's hospital at Springfield where he was resting easy late Monday evening.

The machine skidded into a ditch and turned over on its side, completely demolishing it.

A passing motorist took Davis to Springfield. Neither of the other two men were injured. The car was owned by Walter Bartles and had as the third passenger, William O'Brien.

TEAM SMASHES GLASS.

A team hitched to a delivery wagon became frightened Monday morning and crashed into the west plate glass window in Frank Morrison's store.

The team attempted to stop as they neared the building but their shoes slipped on the sidewalk and they crashed into the glass. Both horses suffered slight cuts and bruises on their shoulders.

The window was valued at about $100 and was not insured.

E. Rosengrant has resigned at Cecil Woods' auto shop to become manager of the local Standard Oil station, succeeding Ray Logan, who has been made manager of the Get Gas local station.

Richard Griffith of South Main street, who was shot through the lung at Morris, Ill., while he was at work in a coal mine, has returned home and is slowly recovering from the effects of his wound.

VIDMER-PIGATI.

Miss Elsie Vidmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mat Vidmer of this city, was united in marriage Monday afternoon to August Pigati, also of this city.

They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Valco.

The couple left at once for Springfield for a few days, after which they will make their home in this city, where the bridegroom is employed.

DOCTOR BREAKS LEG.

Dr. W. A. Johnson had his right leg broken late Monday afternoon while working around his flat building, now under construction.

The accident happened when a truck driver backed into some scaffolding with a lot of concrete blocks on it, causing it to fall and Dr. Johnson was caught under the wreckage. He was rushed to the St. Vincent hospital where his injuries were cared for.

START BATHING POOL.

The concrete construction of the Manner's park bathing pool was started Monday morning and the contractor, Carl Berry says that all the material is on the ground and that there should not be any delay in the completion of the pool.

SHIVELY-CRAIN.

Kermet Shively and Miss Zelma Crain, sister of Mrs. Frank Glover of this city, both of Decatur, were married at the Methodist church parsonage Saturday evening at 8 o'clock by Rev. E. J. Campbell.

The couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Frank Glover with whom they visited Sunday, returning home Sunday to Decatur, where they will make their home.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shively. He is employed as bookkeeper at the Staley Starch Works.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. L. S. Danford of Decatur.

A two-year contract has been signed by the Telephone Operators' union and the Illinois Consolidated Telephone company, it was announced Monday.

The new contract affects all telephone operators in the Christian county exchange with no change in wages.

About fifty graduates of the local high school now attending college are home on their spring vacation. A number of dances have been arranged for the occasion.

Mrs. C. M. Parker, Mrs. L. S. Grundy and Miss Ellen Yockey will leave Wednesday for Carlinville to attend the General Federation of Woman's club meeting there Wednesday and Thursday.

Miss Yockey is district endowment chairman, of the organization.

ORDINATION.

At the morning services of the Presbyterian church Sunday Fred Troger and Ben Wright were ordained as deacons by the pastor, Rev. S. B. Harry, with Rev. R. F. Oplinger assisting.

Mrs. Harry thanked the ladies of the church in a short talk for a gift of $100 in gold which they presented her.

HORSESHOE PITCHING.

Sixty devotees of horseshoe pitching have joined the Manner's Park Horseshoe Pitching League.

A very fine court is being built at the park. It will be sixty feet square and six runs will be made. A canopy will be placed over the bases and lights will be erected. A wire fence will enclose the court.

The officers are as follows: George Johnson, president, and M. C. Hawkins, secretary.

Ralph Carvesi has let the contract for a $7,000 brick home to be erected on the lot he recently purchased of R. D. Ricks on West Main street. The structure will be 30x40 feet and will have six rooms all modern. Work was started Monday morning.

KEYNOTE CLUB.

Keynote club was held at the home of Martha and Mary Ricks Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock. A special meeting will be held May 3 at the home of Mrs. J. Kimball for the written and playing contests.

Betty Miller invited the members of the club to a picnic at her country home, the third Saturday in May. A general review of the years study was given and the following musical program by Division.

"Minuet in F" (Mozart)—Emily Callaway.

"Courteous Child" (Weideg)—Betty Bulpitt.

"Darling Heart" (Weideg)—Dorothea Hunt.

"Musette" (Bach) — Elizabeth Burchfield.

Song, "Courtin' Liza Jane" (Howard)—Martha Bess.

"Old Cathedral Chimes" (Lang)—Clara Longdon.

"The Courteous Child" (Weideg)—Betty Neubacher.

Three Melodies (Rickaby)—Ruth Corena Locke.

Duet, "Inspiration Waltz" (Hunter)—Minnie Busby, Mary Christine Flesher.

"Moment Musical in F Minor" (Schubert)—Anna Lou Johnston.

Song, "The Elfman" (Wells)—Carolyn Kimball.

"Alpine Hat" (Lange)—Waneta Bethards.

"Fan-Fan" (Anthony) — Martha Livergood.

"Rondo" (Mozart)—Lillian Foulds.

"Gay Life" (Spindler)—Henrietta Bach.

"Arbutus" (Davis) — Josephine Craig.

JUSTICE CARTER IS NOT CANDIDATE

Chicago, April 22—Justice Orrin N. Carter of the Illinois supreme court, Monday refused renomination, the offer being made by the regular Republican organization after George E. Brennan, Democrat, organization leader, had publicly endorsed him. Justice Carter said his health would not permit him to undertake another term.

"MELLON SHOULD BE CANDIDATE"—HIRAM

Youngstown, Ohio, April 22—Senator Hiram Johnson in opening his Ohio campaign said that Andrew Mellon, secretary of the treasury, should be the candidate for the presidency backed by the forces now in power.

MT. VERNON MAN KILLED BY TRAIN

Evansville, Ind., April 22—William A. Harrison, Mount Vernon, Ill. special agent of the Louisville and Nashville railroad was killed here last night when run down by a switch engine.

OUT OUR WAY By Williams

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Mrs. Palmer Feared Her Health Was Permanently Impaired Until Tanlac Brought Relief.

Mrs. Gladys Palmer, charming resident of 380 Beauty Ave., Indianapolis, Ind., lends her name to further the cause of TANLAC, the treatment which she declares has "restored the joys of good health to her."

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Blackface Comedy

Jumping Jack Jubilee
By 12 Girls with JAZZ TOE SOLO DANCERS

A BIT OF COMEDY & MIRTH
Busher—Morrow—Barber

DANCE OF THE MANNEQUINS
By 20 Girls, Including 5 Solo Dance Numbers
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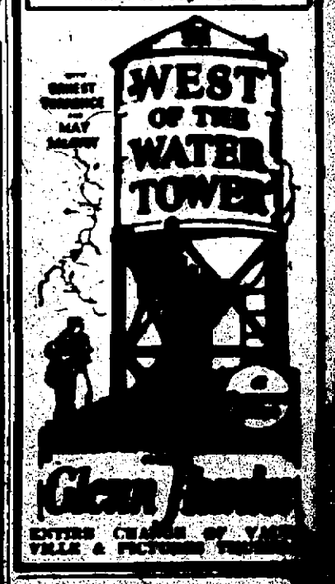

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Short Coverings Check Price Slump

Many Sections of List Feels Gain In Prices

Professionals Bring About Mixed Movements In Oils and Sugars.

New York, April 22.—Selling pressure continued to impart a heavy tone to prices which drifted mainly lower at the opening of today's market. American Can, American Sugar and U. S. Steel which were conspicuous weak spots yesterday held fairly steady in initial dealings but there was a further shading in prices of the oils.

Professional attacks were directed against weak spots in the early trading bringing about declines of a point or more in Central Leather preferred, Atlas Powder and Congoleum, whose fluctuations featured yesterday's market. Although selling was not particularly aggressive in the oils, Pan-American, Maracaibo and Pacific Oil moved fractionally lower. South Porto Rico sugar dropped 1¾ and American Sugar preferred declined to 85¼, a 1924 low. Foreign exchanges opened higher.

SHORT COVERINGS.

Short coverings later checked the downward movement and brought about improvement in many sections of the list before selling pressure was renewed. Professional maneuvers resulted in mixed price movements in the oil and sugars. On the basis of an increased export demand for petroleum, shorts in Standard of California began active covering and recoveries of 1 to 2 points also took place in Houston and Mexican Seaboard.

Rails gave the best display of group strength and a number of industrials leaders including Baldwin and General Electric scored gains of a point or more.

Call money opened at four per cent. The closing was irregular.

LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, April 22—Liberty bonds closed:

3½s, $99.8.
First 4s, $99.27.
Second 4s, $99.26.
First 4 s, $100.
Second 4¼s, $99.31.
Third 4¼s, $100.7.
Fourth 4¼s, $100.
New 4¼s, $101.17.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, April 22—Foreign exchange firm.

Great Britain demand $4.38½.
Cables $4.38¾.
France demand 6.72.
Italy demand 4.49.
Belgium demand 6.70.
Germany demand per trillion .02¾.
Holland 37.01.
Norway 13.90.
Sweden 26.38.
Denmark 16.61.
Switzerland 17.66.
Spain 14.12.
Greece 1.94.
Poland .00512.
Czecho-Slovakia 2.96½.
Argentine 23.12.
Brazil 11.39.
Tokio 41.
Montreal 98¼ cents.

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE.

Chicago, April 22—Journal of Commerce says, "It is generally felt that immediate action of the market will depend on developments at Washington. It will be time enough to take a positive stand when natural market influences and not politics prevail. One observer believes all the good wheat will be taken before new crop is available."

New York Sugar.

New York, April 22—Raw sugar 6.13; duty paid. Refined unchanged.

Call Main 1250 Illinois CLEANERS & DYERS Quality Work

LAST SALES.

Allied Chemical & Dye	67½
American Can	87⅞
American Car & Foundry	133
American International Corp.	30
American Locomotive	70⅝
American Smelting & Ref'g.	69½
American Sugar	39
American T. & T.	126⅝
American Tobacco	141
American Woolen	65¼
Anaconda Copper	31⅝
Atchison	100⅝
Atl., Gulf & W. Indies	12⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	110
Baltimore & Ohio	42⅝
Bethlehem Steel	41½
California Petroleum	22⅝
Central Pacific	88⅝
Central Leather	11⅝
Cerro de Pasco Copper	44½
Chandler Motors	43
Chesapeake & Ohio	74⅝
Chicago & Northwestern	50⅝
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul pfd.	23
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	23
Chile Copper	15⅝
Chino Copper	31⅝
Consolidated Gas	81⅝
Corn Products	104⅝
Cosden Oil	9⅝
Crucible Steel	51⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	54⅝
Erie	23⅝
Fairbanks-Morse	68⅝
General Asphalt	32
General Electric	[illegible]
General Motors	13⅝
Great Northern, pfd.	70⅝
Gulf States Steel	66⅝
Illinois Central	101⅝
Inspiration Copper	24⅝
International Harvester	83⅝
Int. Mer. Marine pfd.	21⅝
International Paper	35⅝
Invincible Oil	13⅝
Kelly-Springfield Tire	34
Kennecott Copper	31⅝
Lima Locomotive	57⅝
Louisville & Nashville	90⅝
Mack Truck	70⅝
Marland Oil	33½
Maxwell Motors B	10⅝
Middle States Oil	4
Missouri, Kan. & Tex (new)	30⅝
Missouri Pacific, pfd.	37⅝
New York Central	100⅝
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	17½
Norfolk & Western	125½
Northern Pacific	57
Pacific Oil	45⅝
Pan American Petroleum B	42⅝
Pennsylvania	44
People's Gas	53
Producers & Refiners	23
Pure Oil	21½
Reading	62⅝
Republic Iron & Steel	45
Sears Roebuck	80⅝
Sinclair Con. Oil	20⅝
Southern Pacific	90⅝
Southern Railway	32½
Standard Oil of N. J.	35
Studebaker Corporation	81⅝
Texas Company	40⅝
Texas & Pacific	26⅝
Tobacco Products A	85
Transcontinental Oil	4
Union Pacific	130½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	61⅝
United States Rubber	27⅝
United States Steel	96½
Utah Copper	66
Westinghouse Electric	59½
Willys-Overland	8⅝

MONEY MARKET.

New York, April 22—Call money steady; high, low, ruling rate, closing bid, last loan, 4; offered 4½; call loans against acceptances, 3¾; time loans steady; mixed collaterals, sixty-ninety days, 4½; four-six months, 4½; prime commercial paper 4½@4¾.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 22—WHEAT—Receipts 99 cars; cash, northern, $1.11¾@1.18¾; 1 dark northern spring, choice to fancy, $1.24¾@1.30¾; May $1.11¾; July $1.13½; September $1.12¼.

CORN—3 yellow 71½@72c.
OATS—3 white, 44½@45½c.
FLOUR—Unchanged.

Metal Markets.

New York, April 22—COPPER—Firm; electrolytic spot 13⅝c.

TIN—Firm; spot and future, $40.75.

IRON—Steady; unchanged.

LEAD—Steady; spot $7.87@8.25.

ZINC—Firm; East St. Louis spot and future $6.10@6.15.

ANTIMONY—Spot $9.87.

COMING EVENTS.

Chicago, April 22—Coming Events says: "The downward re-adjustment of prices appears to be nearing completion. Attention might now be given to favorable opportunities for acquiring sound stocks in anticipation of an active and higher market later on."

New York Cotton.

New York, April 22—COTTON—Futures opened easy: May 29.80; July 27.00; October 24.10; December, 23.30; January 23.15.

COTTON Futures closed steady: May, 28.79 to 28.81; July 27.23 to 27.28; October 24.11 to 24.13; December 23.33 to 23.37; January 23.17 to 23.20.

SPOT—Quiet; middling 29.20.

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, April 22—Bar silver 64⅝c; Mexican dollars, 49½c.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

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Chicago, April 22—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
WHEAT—Open				
May	108½@108¾	108⅛	108¼	106⅝
July	105⅝@105¾	105⅛	105⅛	103⅞
Sept.	106½@106	106⅛	105⅝	104⅝
CORN—				
May	77½@ 77⅝	76⅞	77⅛	77⅛
July	78⅝@ 78⅝	79⅛	78⅝	78⅝
Sept.	78½@ 78	78⅛	78	78⅛
OATS—				
May	46⅝@	47⅛	46⅝	46⅝
July	43⅝@	44⅝	43½	43⅝
Sept.	40⅝@ 40	40⅛	39⅝	40
RYE—				
May	65⅝@	65⅝	65⅝	65⅝
July	67⅝@	67⅝	67⅝	67⅝
LARD—				
May	1080@	1080	1070	1082
July	1102@	1102	1092	1101
RIBS—				
May	9957	993	990	992
July				1012

WHEAT CLOSE IS UNSETTLED

Chicago, April 22—Sellers out numbered buyers today during the early dealings in wheat. Washington reports regarding the outlook for proposed farm enactments were given chief attention and were generally construed as bearish. At least temporary declines failed to bring about any increase of demand.

The opening which ranged from ½ to ¾c lower, May $1.03¼@½, and July $1.05⅛@¾, was followed by a slight further setback in some cases.

Subsequently a moderate rally took place owing to the fact that for a while the corn market showed strength. Wheat closed unsettled ½ to ¾@¾c net lower, May $1.03½ and July $1.05¼@⅝.

Corn had a tendency to sag in sympathy with wheat. After opening unchanged to ⅛c lower, May 77¾@½, corn underwent a little decline all around.

Offerings became scarce later and the market made a sudden upturn which, however, proved transient, eastern shipping demand was said to have enlarged somewhat. The close was nervous at same as yesterday's finish to ⅜c lower, May 77⅜@½.

Oats started unchanged to ⅜c down, May 46⅝. Later all months showed a slight drop.

Provisions were easier.

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago, April 22—	Rcts.	Con't.	Estd.	Ago.
Wheat	18	14	21	67
Corn	30	82	181	153
Oats	33	110	132	89
Rye	0		1	1
Barley	34			

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., April 22—CORN—Receipts, 46 cars; unchanged; 5 yellow 77c; 4 yellow, 75½c; 3 yellow 74½c; 6 mixed 72½c; sample grade 68c.

OATS—Receipts, 8 cars; unchanged; 2 white, 48¼@48½c.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, April 22—WHEAT—No. 2 Red, $1.12@1.15; No. 3, $1.09@1.14.

CORN—No. 2 white, 80c; No. 2 yellow, 81½c.

OATS—No. 2 white, 50½@51c; No. 3, 49½@50½c.

CLOSE WHEAT—May $1.02½; July, $1.04¼.

CORN—May, 76⅝c; July, 79½@¾c.

OATS—May, 48½c.

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, April 22—WHEAT—1 hard $1.11½; 2 hard $1.05¼@1.08; 3 hard $1.04½.

CORN—3 mixed 78c; 4 mixed 77½@77¾c; 3 yellow 78@80½c; 4 yellow 75@77½c; 5 yellow 76¼@76½c; 3 white 78½c.

OATS—2 white, 49¼@49½c; 3 white, 48c.

RYE—No sales.

BARLEY—62@68c.

TIMOTHY—$3.00@7.60.

CLOVER—$13.50@22.00.

LARD—$10.00.

RIBS—$10.12.

BELLIES—$10.50.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City, April 22—WHEAT—2 hard $1.06@$1.24; 2 red $1.10@1.11; May 99½c ask; July 97c bid; September 99½c split asked.

CORN—2 yellow 78@78½c; 2 mixed 73½c, May 78c bid; July 74½c; September 73½c split asked.

OATS—2 white, 50c; 3 white, 48½@49c.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, April 22—CLOVER SEED—Prime cash old $13.50; new $11.25; October, $12.20.

TIMOTHY SEED—Prime cash, $3.30; May $3.75.

CHICAGO HOG PRICES UNEVEN

Indianapolis Hogs Go 5 Cents Lower; Cattle Steady.

Chicago, April 22—HOGS—30,000; uneven; 5 to 10c lower; bulk good and choice 240 to 325 pound butchers 7.35@7.50; top 7.50; 160 to 210 pound weight 7.20@7.45; packing sows steady; bulk 6.70@6.90; killing pigs 15 to 25c lower; 120 to 180 pound kind 5.75@6.25; heavy hogs 7.30@7.55; medium 7.25@7.50; light 6.80@7.50; light lights 5.75@7.25; packing sows smooth 6.80@6.95; rough 6.60@6.80; slaughter pigs 4.50@6.25.

CATTLE—10,000; all classes slow; steers steady; killers plain; most fed steers of value to sell at 8.25@10.75; some Nebraska and Dakotas held around 12; fat she stock and vealers steady; cows 5.50@7.25; heifers 6.50@8.25; bologna 4.75@5.90; few heavies 5; most vealers to packers 8.50@9; light vealers downward to 7.50; few 125 to 150 pound vealers 9.50@10 to outsiders; four loads string Montana to feeder dealers 8.50@9.

SHEEP—12,000; slow fat lambs steady to weak; sheep 25c lower; good fat wooled lambs 16.25; good clipped lambs 13.75; choice fat wooled ewes 11; light clipped ewes 9.50; few spring lambs 20@22.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, April 22—CATTLE—Receipts, 8,000; steers steady to 15c higher; spots up 25c on best weighty steers; stockers and feeders steady to strong; stockers $8.75; bulk $6.50@7.50.

HOGS—Receipts 11,000; slow; 10c lower; packers and shippers top $7.15; bulk sales $6.80@7.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,0000; lambs slow; 10@25c lower.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, April 22—HOGS—Receipts 11,000; steady to 5c lower; heavies $7.50@7.60; lights $7.50@7.65; top $7.70; pigs, $5.00@7.25.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,100; steady; steers $7.00; lights $7.00@7.65; to $7.50; pigs, $9.00; calves lower; veals, $8.00@10.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 1; steady; sheep $4.50@9.50; lambs, $16.00@16.00.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, April 22—HOGS—Receipts, 2000; 15c lower; bulk 160 pounds and up $7.40@7.45; top $7.50; pigs little changed; packer sows $6.50@6.60.

CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500; steers slow; few shade lower $7.50@9.75; bidding $8.00@9.00 on light vealers; other classes steady; bolognas, $4.50@5.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; mostly due to arrive; no good lambs; few good clipped ewes, $8.30; wool ewes, $11.60; 50c lower.

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, April 22—(Bower & Bower report)—HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; Yorkers, mixed and mediums good weights mixed $7.85; pigs $7.00.

CATTLE—Receipts, 130; steady.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts light.

CALVES—Receipts, 280.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill., April 22—HOGS—Receipts, 2,500; 5@10c lower; top $7.35; lights $6.85@7.30; mediums, $7.20@7.35; heavies, $7.20@7.35; packers, $6.25@6.85.

CATTLE—Receipts light; steady; active; good calves, $9.50.

PRODUCE

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, April 22—BUTTER—Higher; creamery extras, 36c; standards, 36½c; extra firsts, 34½c; firsts, 33½@34c; seconds 32½@33c.

EGGS—Unchanged; receipts, 43,019 cases.

POTATOES—Trade moderate; steady; receipts 47 cars; total U. S. shipments 706; Wisconsin sacked round whites $1.20@1.35; Nebraska sacked triumphs $3.00@3.25; Minnesota and North Dakota sacked Red River Ohios $1.35@1.50.

POULTRY—Alive, unsettled, fowls, 22@26c; broilers, 50@38c; roosters, 16c.

New York Produce.

New York, April 22—BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 9,727; creamery higher than extras, 38@38½c; do extras 92 score, 37½c; firsts, 88 to 91 score, 35½@37c; packing stock current make No. 2, 27c.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 34,413; fresh gathered extra firsts, regular packed, 27½@28c; do storage packed 26½@27½c; fresh gathered firsts, regular packed, 24½@25c; storage packed 25½@26c.

CHEESE—Irregular; receipts, 150,181 pounds; state whole milk flats fresh average run 13½c.

LIVE POULTRY—Weak; no freight quotations. Fowls by express, 28@31c.

DRESSED—Steady; unchanged.

HARRISBURG HIT BY HEAVY FIRE LOSS

Strong North Gale Spreads Flames.

Harrisburg, Ill., April 22—Fire, originating in a drug store basement by ignition of a quantity of fire works, has destroyed three stores and shortly before noon today was threatening two additional business blocks.

The Rexall Drug store, the Lee Moore department store and the G. C. Tuggle Department store were destroyed.

A strong north gale spread the flames rapidly from the drug store to the other stores all of which were in the Pruett block in the center of the business section. The loss thus far is estimated at $165,000.

Harrisburg, Ill., April 22—Fire caused by ignition of fire works in a drug store basement destroyed the Pruett Block here today with loss estimated at $165,000. The fire was brought under control early this afternoon after threatening two other business blocks.

DEEDS RECORDED

W. S. Teaghber to T. Q. Benner, tract in S. 15, T. 16 east. Bank.

T. A. Powers to William Fenton, lot 28 Powers' Eighth addition, $865.

J. T. Pierce to William Fenton, lot 16, block 7, Riverside Place, $1.

H. D. Metzler to T. L. Klausmeier, lots 9, 10, 11, 12, 15 and 17, block 4, Lincoln Place, $1,000.

Local Notices

DANCE—REAL—DANCE.

At Silvermoon, Tuesday, April 22. Opening night of half and half old time dance. No admission at door 40c a dance. Hours 9 to 12.

Now is the time to have your old hat cleaned and blocked to any style desired. Bring them now and avoid the rush. Lincoln Square Hat Cleaners, 121 N. Main. Phone M. 5534.

DANCE.

Tuesday night, Redman's Hall, given by Women's Union Label League. Admission 35c. Union music.

PERMANENT WAVE SPECIAL.

Entire bobbed head $25. Mrs. Heller's Beauty Shop, 136 S. Water. Main 1643.

OPENING DANCE TONIGHT.

Lone Oak, 3 miles west of Latham. Cletia Globis, orch. of Bloomington.

EASTER DANCE TONIGHT.

"Merry Men" Original Blue Merry Garden's 7-piece orchestra will play. 8:30 until 12. Admission 55c.

NO CHANGE IN LOCAL GRAIN

Grain prices remained unchanged by local station buyers Tuesday on a grain market which was fairly steady along the whole line. Hogs also were unchanged with tops at about the same figure that they have held for some time.

Poultry and dairy products are running along on an even basis the demand about equalling the supply at present quotations.

Grain	
No. 2 hard wheat	98
Oats	42
Corn, No. 4 white shelled	.60
Corn, No. 4 yellow shelled	.60
Live Stock.	
Choice young hogs, 200@250	$ 6.50@6.75
Choice young hogs, 150@200	6.25@ 6.50
Choice cows, 800-1000 lbs.	3.00@ 3.50
Heavy cows	5.00@ 5.25
Choice steers 750-800 lbs.	6.50@ 7.00
Medium steers, 700@800 lbs.	5.00@ 6.00
Choice heifers, 700 to 800 lbs.	6.00@ 6.50
Good heifers, 700-800 lbs.	5.00@ 5.50
Medium cows, 900-1000 lbs.	2.50@ 3.75
Cutters	2.00@ 2.50
Bulls	3.00@ 4.00
Spring lambs	9.00@ 10.00
Veal calves	8.00@ 8.00
Canners	1.00@ 2.00
Butter and Eggs.	
Eggs No. 1 (not washed) dozen	.20
Eggs, No. 2 dozen	.17
Shipping butter	.20
Butter fat, f. o. b. Decatur	.35
Poultry.	
Leghorn hens	.17
Hens, average	.22
Smooth Springs, average	.19
Leghorn spring	.14
Stags	.13
Old roosters	.12
Geese, over 8 lbs.	.10
Geese, light	.08
Ducks	.16
Light ducks	.12
Live pigeons, doz.	.18
Hides.	
Green	.06
Cured beef No. 1	.06½
Calf skin, 8 to 15 lbs.	.08
Horse hides	3.25

BARNES POINTS TO BIG FLAWS IN FARM BILL

New York, April 22—Julius Barnes, president of the United States Chamber of Commerce commenting on the McNary-Haugen bill said in part:

"The House of agricultural committee did a useful service in stripping the bill of the false hopes engendered in agricultural districts by the provision to substitute a cash deduction from the proposed ratio price, instead of the unworkable and doubtful value scrip originally proposed. The farmer can now see just how ineffective this plan will be in improving his farm prices.

"The ratio proposal of the McNary bill, if workable at all, would affect the price of wheat thus under the house proposal to deduct the probable loss on export from the cash price.

"The price today of Canadian wheat equal to a standard American quality is equivalent to 90 cents at Chicago. The McNary ratio price at Chicago for Standard wheat, as proposed, would work out $1.50 per bu.

"If government exporting did not frighten foreign buyers and did not undermine this 90 cents, there would be a possible loss on forced export from the ratio price of 60 cents per bu. This is 30 cents a bu. on the entire approximate 900,000,000 bu. American wheat possible to care for, as the average U. S. crop in the last ten years has been 870,000,000 bu.

DEDUCT 30 CENTS.

"Deduct this loss of 30 cents per bu. on all wheat marketed in America plus ten cents additional to cover expenses and margin of safety and it leaves the price probable in cash to the farmer, Chicago basis, at $1.10 Kansas City about $1.05 and Minneapolis about $1.20. If the McNary plan could be set in operation it would advance for probably $2 per barrel to American consumers, in order that foreign consumers could buy their wheat supplies sixty cents cheaper than our home people, and with a small and dubious profit to our own farmers.

"It would erect tariff and dumping barriers against us for years by other nations and would destroy a highly perfected marketing system which holds our prices far above export parity ten months out of twelve.

"The remedy lies in improved farm methods, diversification and in demanding from the Department of Agriculture practical service in showing how to grow the superior type of wheat which today is selling in Kansas City $1.20 and in Minneapolis $1.30.

"Legislation should encourage and wisely regulate future trading, so that America could face an export surplus and yet for many months of the year maintain its home prices far above the export equivalent."

DEATHS

RILEY E. PLUNKETT.

Riley E. Plunkett, 2549 East Wabash street, a resident of Decatur for the last twenty-eight years, died in his home Tuesday morning at 1:15. Death was caused by uremic poisoning.

Mr. Plunkett was born in Petersburg, Ill., Feb. 21, 1856. He was married to Mary B. Huffaker in Holdridge, Neb., Aug. 19, 1886. He was a member of the Church of God in Decatur. By occupation, Mr. Plunkett was a teamster.

He is survived by the following children: Bertha Minder, Springfield, Jessie Pinkey, Lester R. Plunkett, Mrs. Bessie Hawkins, Herbert Plunkett, Mrs. Mary Spencer, LeRoy Plunkett, Susie Oakley, Ines Deardorff, Robert Plunkett and Joseph Plunkett, all of Decatur. He leaves the following brothers and sisters: Mrs. Sallie Miller, Richmond, Ill., Mrs. Kate Clark, St. Paul, Minn., and Robert Plunkett, Coffeyville, Kan., and a half brother and half sister, W. H. Hobb and Eliza Hobb, Terre Haute. There are twenty-four grandchildren.

MRS. IDA J. CORMANEY.

Mrs. Ida Jeannette Cormaney, wife of J. W. Cormaney, died Tuesday morning at the family residence in Blue Mound. Her age was fifty-five years, five months and one day.

Mrs. Cormaney's maiden name was Ida Jeanette Hollier. She was born near Blue Mound, Nov. 20, 1868, and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hollier, who preceded her in death. She and J. W. Cormaney of Blue Mound were married Feb. 8, 1886. To this union were born seven children, six of whom survive. One son, Merlin, passed away at the age of nineteen years. She is survived by her husband and the following children: Charles Cormaney of Taylorville, William and Cecil Cormaney of Blue Mound, Mrs. M. E. Uhel of Lanesville, Mrs. Walter Hupp of Blue Mound and Mrs. O. D. Scott of Decatur. There are seven grand-children. She also leaves a brother, L. S. Hollier of Bozeman, Mont., and two sisters, Mrs. J. E. Harris of Laclede, Mo., and Mrs. E. Biller of near Blue Mound. She was a devoted wife and mother and will be sorely missed not only by her family but a host of lifelong friends. She always had a kind and cheerful greeting for all and no task was too hard or duty too great for her to serve when and where she was needed.

The funeral will be held at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon at the family residence. The burial will be in the Hall cemetery.

WALTER DAULTON.

Walter Daulton, 2308 East Locust street, died at 12:50 o'clock Tuesday morning at the Wabash Employes hospital. He was thirty-four years old in March. His death was caused by pneumonia after an illness of two weeks.

Mr. Daulton was born in Concord, Ky., March 6, 1890. He lived in Lincoln before moving to Decatur in June, 1923. He was employed as a boilermaker's helper in the Wabash shops. He is survived by his wife and a daughter, Margaret, aged five years. He also leaves his father, William S. Daulton, of Peebles, O., the following sisters and brothers: Mrs. Paris Featherkilo of Frankfort, Ky., Arthur Daulton of South Lebanon, O., Miss Mae Daulton and Clarence Daulton of Peebles, O. He also leaves his grand-mother, Mrs. Charlotte Dixon of Concord, Ky., who is now 104 years old. He was a member of the Methodist church at Kenney, but since coming to Decatur has been attending the Third United Brethren church. He was a member of Voris court No. 580, Tribe of Ben Hur, and Prairie Belle lodge No. 320, I. O. O. F., of Fancy Prairie, Ill. The body was removed to the Monson undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

D. A. BARRACKMAN.

Demas A. Barrackman, for quite a number of years active in real estate business in Decatur twenty to twenty-five years ago was found dead in bed in his home in Worthington, Ind., last Wednesday, having died from Bright's disease during the night.

Mr. Barrackman had no close relatives now living in Decatur.

CLINTON KIWANIS CLUB TO CELEBRATE

Delegates from Decatur Are Invited.

Clinton, Ill., April 22—The second anniversary of the Clinton Kiwanis club will be observed Thursday with elaborate ceremonies which will occupy the afternoon and evening, there being a conference meting during the afternoon and at 6:30 there will be a banquet at the Chamber of Commerce assembly hall, to which delegations from Bloomington and Decatur have been invited.

Already Clinton merchants have commenced decorating their places of business, stores and windows to be draped in such a manner that local and out-of-town people will feel the warmth of welcome and co-operation.

PRINCIPAL SPEAKER.

The principal speaker for the occasion will be Daniel S. Wentworth, district governor, a prominent Chicago lawyer. Lieutenant Governor K. Kennedy of Bloomington also will be a speaker. The conference meeting will be held in the Elks' club room.

The local Kiwanis club, organized in Clinton in 1922, bears on its roster the names of the city's most prominent residents, all of the workers—men able to stand shoulder to shoulder with the best business men of the country. Representing some of the largest industries, Superintendent C. W. Shaw of the Illinois Central and several members of the local staff of the railroad are enthusiastic workers for the Kiwanis club. The railroad company has an annual payroll of nearly two and one-half million dollars, the majority of which is invested in Clinton and vicinity. The Lee Bline Coiching Co. has a monthly pay roll of nearly two thousand dollars and many other industries of even greater magnitude are represented in the club.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

Personals.

PUBLIC NOTICE—I will not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Lulu Wilson, signed by Geo. Wilson.

PUBLIC NOTICE—We are moving to a new location and will be out of business for about ten days. East Side Wrecking Yards. 1338 East William. Fairview 356.

Lost and Found.

BICYCLE—Left at Grace M. E. Church. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this ad.

BOSTON BULL DOG—Lost. Answers to name "Ted." Return to Chas. McKinley, 706 E. Leafland. Main 7038.

BOSTON BULL DOG—Lost. Had on Barnes and red ribbon. For return or information leading to recovery will reward. Call 2 901 N. Franklin.

FRATERNITY PIN—S. A. M., diamond shape, set with opals and emeralds, lost Sat. in downtown district. Return to Review office. Reward.

HORN RIM GLASSES—In leather case, lost between 1000 block W. Main and Standard Life Bldg. Reward. Call Fair. 1001.

KEYS—Lost, a brown leather key-case, containing 3 or 6 keys, someplace on W. Decatur St., or up-town. Reward. Myer & Son.

POWDER COMPACT—Lost, blue inlaid top. Reward. Call Main 2741.

TIE PIN—Diamond shape, with small chipped diamond in center; lost Saturday night; valued as keepsake from mother; liberal reward. Call Main 1469.

MAYO TO EXPLAIN SHOALS' REVENUE

Ford's Engineer Summoned to Capital.

Washington, April 22.—Investigation of Henry Ford's Muscle Shoals proposal by the senate agriculture committee awaits the arrival of W. B. Mayo, Ford's chief engineer, expected to appear this week.

He will be questioned about the amount of return the government would receive from the Ford offer and provisions for fertilizer production and power distribution.

SEES OTHER PRODUCTS.

Mr. Hooker said he knew of no reason why calcium arsenate, or arsenate of lime, used in combatting the boll weevil, and a specific made from chlorine and bleaching soda, and acting in the manner of poison gas against the peach borer, could not be produced in adequate quantities at Muscle Shoals.

Research is being conducted, Hooker said, in an effort to develop a specific to exterminate wheat rust and tobacco wildfire.

FOR NORTHWEST.

Senator McNary, Republican, Oregon, asked Hooker if the saving in transportation on fertilizer would apply to the northwest and the witness replied that in his opinion the saving in rail transportation would be limited to the territory east of the Rocky Mountains although water transportation through the Panama canal probably would aid the northwest also.

BANK YEGGS ROB ARMSTRONG BANK

Danville, Ill., April 22—A gang of bank robbers, in an automobile truck, forced an entrance into the Farmers State bank at Armstrong, Ill., near here, this morning, and burned through the vault door with an acetylene torch into the safety deposit boxes, obtaining a considerable amount in liberty bonds, the amount of which has not as yet been ascertained.

TWO ELECTED ON LINCOLN HIGH BOARD

Lincoln, Ill., April 22—Very little interest was displayed in the school election held in this city Saturday afternoon for the purpose of naming two members to the board of education of the Lincoln community high school district No. 404. A total of 314 votes were cast. Following are the results:

George K. Pegram with 195 and Dr. J. E. Beckholt with 189 were elected.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale.

BUICK—Six-cylinder touring; excellent condition; priced right. Main 1360.

CADILLAC—Model 59, suburban; excellent condition; bargain. Dorothy Thrift. Main 2906.

CADILLAC AND LEXINGTON—Touring cars to exchange for equity in vacant lot or small property. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 126.

CADILLAC BARGAINS—

CADILLAC—Type 53, touring; $175.

CADILLAC—Type 55, sedan; good tires and paint; $385.

CADILLAC—Type 59, Victoria; carries a new car warranty; a beautiful job and a real bargain; $2,000.

CADILLAC COMPANY OF DECATUR

418-432 EAST WILLIAM MAIN 720

WHERE QUALITY IN USED CARS IS NEVER MISREPRESENTED.

DODGE—1923 sedan. In fine shape. Five good Ford coupes. See them at Guy Perry's Used Car Mkt., 121 N. Church. Main 725.

FORD—Coupe. Almost new. Many extras. Floor carpet and upholstery not even soiled. A genuine bargain at $300 off the regular price. Terms if desired. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 231.

FORD—1922 touring. Tip-top shape in every particular. A genuine bargain at $190. See this car before it is too late. $90 down, balance monthly. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 231.

FORD COUPE—1922; first-class mechanical condition; newly painted. Main 617 or Main 3654.

FORD TRUCK—Light Ford delivery truck; panel body; good mechanical condition; bargain for cash. National Grocer Co. Main 342.

FORDS! FORD

Watching These Offers Means the Discovery of New Fields of Opportunity

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

OVERLAND—4 touring. Excellent running condition. A genuine bargain if we ever had one. $200, $90 down, balance monthly. W. C. Starr, 330 N. Main St. Main 281.

OVERLAND—1924 touring. Run less than 5,000 miles. A real bargain. Fairview 1405.

FORD—1923 touring; 1921 touring with flex top. Also a 1921 Speedwagon. Ried Motor Sales Co., 236 E. North St. Main 748.

STUDEBAKER—1922 Light "Six" coupe, refinished and in good mechanical condition; 1923 Special "Six" coupe; 1922 Light "Six" touring. V. M. Elmore & Son, 232 South Main. Main 867.

SPECIAL USED CAR BUYS—

HUPMOBILES—1924 coupe, 1922 touring, and 1920 touring.

FORDS—Three sedans, two roadsters, and three touringe.

ESSEX—4-passenger coach, 1923 model.

BUICKS—1919 touring, 1918 touring, 1917 sedan.

STUDEBAKER—1919 big six touring.

E. G. HEDGES.

832 E. MAIN ST. MAIN 538.

SPIESS AUTO SALES CO. BARGAINS—

BUICK—1918 touring.

MAXWELL—1923 touring.

NASH—1920 touring.

MAXWELL & CHRYSLER DEALERS.

211 E. WOOD. A. B. HOLABIRD, MGR.

STARR & SON USED CARS—

MAXWELL—1923 model touring car. Disc wheels and cord tires. A good clean car.

DUPMOBILE—1921 model touring car. Cord tires. New paint job. In good shape throughout.

FORDS—We have practically all models, coupe, sedans, tourings, roadsters and trucks. Priced to sell.

CASH—TRADE—TERMS.

J. G. STARR & SON.

122 S. FRANKLIN ST. MAIN 979.

Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

TRUCK—Ford ton, 1921 model. A-1 condition. At a bargain. No dealer. 413 E. Garfield. Fair. 1407.

$193 CASH—Will buy ton Ford truck, 20 model. Good condition. Apply at 1413 E. Condit.

Auto Accessories. 13

AUTO PARTS—Used Overland parts and others. See us first. Emerson Auto Parts Co., 215 N. Fifth. M. 715.

PARTS—For 1917 Pan American wrecking this week. Emerson Auto Parts Co. Main 715.

TIRES—Sacrificed, 30x3, 30x3½, 33. All other sizes, $4.50. Used tire Store, 228 E. Eldorado. Open 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Motorcycles and Bicycles. 15

MOTORCYCLE—HARLEY DAVIDSON, WITH OR WITHOUT SIDE CAR. 1074 ST. LOUIS AVE.

Repairing—Service Stations. 16

WELDING—And rebuilding crank shafts, tools, etc. Dec. Welding Co. 1217 E. Eldorado. Main 6001.

Wanted—Automobiles. 17

WANT TO BUY—Second hand Oldsmobile Economy ¾-ton truck. Write or call Gene Owen & Co. Clinton, Ill. Phone 75.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Services Offered. 18

RUGS—Made from your old ingrain carpets and carpet rags. Fisher Rug Works 715 W. Lincoln. Main 6626.

TREE SURGERY—Trent your trees for borers. M. H. Dean. Main 6674.

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating. 20

RUG CLEANING—Have your rugs shampooed with the Hamilton Beach carpet washer and be assured of satisfaction. Vacuum cleaners for rent. Workman. Main 6816.

LEAVE YOUR DIRT AT MERIDITH'S—OUR MODERN, SCIENTIFIC WAY OF RUG CLEANING REMOVES THE DIRT AND GERMS BUT LEAVES THE RUG UNHARMED. DRY CLEANING—SHAMPOOING. MERIDITH CLEANING CO. 209 E. CERRO GORDO. MAIN 906.

Hairdressing, Massage, Manicure 21A

NEWEST TRANSFORMATIONS—Beautiful first quality hair. Mrs. Heller's Beauty Shop. 198 S. Water.

Laundering. 24

WASHING—Bundle specialty; reasonable. 244 East Clay.

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

HAULING—All kinds. Cinders $1.50 per load. Prompt delivery on coal orders. Dec. Disposal & Fuel Co. M. 1670.

HAULING—Ashes, cinders, coal and moving. Call Fairview 782.

HAULING—Coal, cinders, ashes. All kinds of hauling. Main 2262.

MOVING OR HAULING—Of all kinds by truck. Call Fair. 1407.

KEEP MOVING, PLEASE—

VANS—TRUCKS—CRATE—For hauling anything, anywhere.

STORAGE—Our storage department at Smith's gives a clean and safe place for storing household goods and merchandise.

PACKING — SHIPPING — MOVING—Use Meridith equipment for satisfactory service.

MERIDITH MOVING & STORAGE CO.

209 E. CERRO GORDO ST. MAIN 906

KENNARD TRANSFER—Baggage and moving. Overland hauling a specialty. We'll save you money. Phone Main 603.

Painting, Papering, Decorating. 26

PAINT—And wall paper. Lowest prices. Paperhng, painting by experts. A. C. Brown, 803 N. Water. M. 2466.

PAINTING—And paperhanging. First-class work, guaranteed. Wall paper for sale. F. H. Condon. Fairview 1209.

PAINTING—I do painting and carpenter work, contract or hour. Main 6675.

PAINTING—If you are heading any painting done inside or out. Call Fair. 2282, and get our prices.

EMPLOYMENT

Painting, Papering, Decorating. 26

PAINTING—Inside and out; all kinds of walls cleaned and floor work a specialty. Call Main 2410.

PAINTING—We paint the big and the little. Let us paint your garage. Fair. 2352.

PAPERING—Painting, interior decorating. Prices right, work guaranteed. M. 3110.

PAPER CLEANING—Also painting, plaster patching and paper hanging. Good references. Call Adam Page. Main 511.

PAPER CLEANING—Wanted. Call Heines & Essicks. Main 1236. B. F. Phillips.

PAPERHANGING—And cleaning. Also painting. J. E. Fisher. Fair. 802.

PAPERHANGING—And painting of all kinds. 833 East Leafland. Main 2201.

PAPERHANGING—By a practical man. Main 2081. T. A. Baker.

PAPERHANGING—By the roll. Work guaranteed. Parish. 1210 N. Jordan.

PAPER CLEANING—At reasonable prices. Paperhanging, 10 yrs. experience. Work guaranteed. County 947, ring 12.

PAPERHANGING—Done reasonably; satisfaction guaranteed; samples furnished. D. M. Smith, Main 2371 or 1663.

PAPER CLEANING—Call Irwin's Drug Store. Main 85. W. O. Siler.

PAPER CLEANING—First-class work; no dirt left on floor. Main 8602.

PAPER HANGING—Painting and job plastering. Call Main 2447.

PAPER HANGING—Paper for sale. F. M. Montague. Main 5810.

Professional Services. 28

PRINCE, DR. A. E.—

Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat. Of Springfield, Ill. Consultation days the first and third Tuesdays at offices of Dr. Tobey (Dentist), 330 Standard Life Bldg., Decatur, Illinois.

PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER—May be found at 231 Citizens Building. Erma Rau.

Repairing, Refinishing. 29

FURNITURE—Including pianos, repaired reduced prices. Terms. Main 2319.

LAWNMOWER SHARPENING—Furniture and refinished. Call at 1239 E. Marietta.

ROOFING—And asphalt shingles, put on, repairing, or any other repairs about your home. Home Repair Shop, 216 E. Division. Fairview 1637.

Tailoring and Pressing. 30

PRESSING—Suits cleaned and pressed. Coats re-lined at small cost. All kinds of alterations to make your clothes fit. M. Greenberg's Tailor Shop, 615 N. Water.

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female. 32

GIRL—Competent for general housework, family of two; reference required. Main 3765.

MAID—Competent, for general housework. No laundry work. Mrs. E. J. Brown, 600 Powers Lane.

SALESLADIES WANTED—For permanent work in city to represent Mother Hubbard Food Products, direct to consumer. Exclusive territory furnished to those who qualify. $90 working capital required of representative. For full particulars call between 4 and 9 p. m. at 367 W. Main. Mr. Ramsey.

SOLICITORS—Four ladies to take orders. Call Main 6075.

TWO GIRLS—Wanted to work in Norman's Laundry. Must be 20 years of age.

WAITRESS—Experienced wanted. Apply R. R. Y. M. C. A., across from depot.

WOMAN—Competent middle aged white woman, who is an experienced cook. No laundry. Small family and modern home in city of 2,500. Wages $12.00 or more according to ability. Apply in person if possible. Mrs. Dwight M. Moore, Monticello, Ill.

WOMAN—Wanted to correspond with middle-aged lady willing to live with elderly lady in a small town as companion and helper in light housekeeping. References asked. Box 157 Camargo Ill.

Help Wanted—Male. 33

AUTO MECHANIC—Experienced. Apply Dodge Service Station, 200 W. Main St.

AUTO MECHANIC—Wanted. Must be first class mechanic. No other need apply. Hours from 12 noon to 11 p. m. Main 4710.

BRICKLAYERS—12 wanted. K. of C. Home, 6th and Edwards St., Springfield, Ill. Fred Anderson.

FARM HAND—Experienced married man wanted. A. C. Walden, Clinton, R. 7, Wapella phone.

FARM HAND—Single; experienced, wanted. Mary Black, Bethany, Ill.

SALESMEN—We are going to train two young men for field managers; salary while training. Apply to Mr. Wakefield after 4:30 p. m. 520 North Morgan.

Help—Male or Female. 34

MALE AND FEMALE—Earn while you learn. Home office representatives of leading life, fire, casualty and automobile insurance companies will conduct classes in each of above lines five evenings each month, free of charge. Salaried positions and liberal general and district agency contracts to those who qualify after taking instructions. Immediate openings for all counties. Central Illinois. For further details address P. L. Carter, 188 No. Franklin St., Decatur, Ill. Telephone Main 5226.

MAN OR WOMAN—Wanted, energetic, to distribute samples and write orders for the greatest household necessity and seller. Write quick. Wortham's Specialty Products, Hammond, Illinois.

Salesmen and Agents. 35

COAL—Sell coal in carload lots. Side or main line. Experience unnecessary. Earn a week's pay in an hour. Liberal drawing account arrangement. Washington Coal Co. 802 Coal Exchange Bldg. Chicago.

SALESMAN—For Lake Shore lots. E. L. Carter, 188 N. Franklin. Main 5226.

Situations Wanted—Female. 36

HOUSECLEANING—Wanted. Can furnish good references. Fairview 1205.

STENOGRAPHERS—Experienced, furnished on short notice. Call Main 1606.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities. 38

GARAGE—Must sell fine garage business in small town. Small capital will handle. Address Box 778, care Review.

GRAIN ELEVATOR—Well located, in good farming community. Only one in locality, including crib for 12,000 bu. ear corn. Also five-room dwelling. The price is right. $5,000 will handle. Drake & Hanneman, 830 N. Main St. M. 1062.

MEAT MARKETS—2; 5 restaurants; 2 hotels; 4 groceries; 2 rooming houses. Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg. M. 3270.

PAINTERS—Have a client contractor painter and paper hanger now running four men in a town of 2,000. No competition, who is coving to Southeast Missouri and wishes to dispose of his equipment and stock. Will invoice approximately $300. A fine opportunity for someone wishing to go into business for himself. Immediate possession. For details Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg. M. 3270.

SICKLE INTEREST—If you have $3,000.00 to invest in one of Decatur's best loop stores that will earn you from 20% to 25% annually it will pay you to investigate at once. Ad from Box 779, care Review.

Investments, Stocks, Bonds. 39

COAL STOCK—McLaughlin stemmed coal stock wanted. Box 780, care Review.

Money to Loan. 40

CITY PROPERTY—See us for loans on city property. Good mortgages for sale. Robinson & O'Hara. Phone Main 230. 139 S. Main street.

Money to Loan. 40

REAL ESTATE LOANS—ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. JOHNSON & BOBB. 127 E. PRAIRIE ST.

INSTRUCTION

Correspondence Courses. 42

BEAUTY CULTURE—Ladies, we teach beauty culture quickly. Positions waiting. Write for catalog. Moler College, 105 S. Wells, Chicago.

LEARN BARBERING—It pays. Short course qualifies. Catalog free. Write Molar Barber College, 105 S. Wells, Chicago.

LIVE STOCK

Dogs, Cats, Pets. 47

BULL DOG—Boston, brindle, $25. Call between 6 and 7 p. m. Main 8022.

CANARIES—2 yellow Hartz Mountain singers. Call Main 1708.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles. 48

PONY—Gentle Shetland pony and outfit; cheap. Call Main 8522.

SADDLE MARES—Two, registered, sired by "Auto Be King," three and five gaited, tipy and nicely mannered. E. P. Hall, Mechanicsburg, Ill.

Poultry and Supplies. 49

BABY CHICKS—All varieties, 10 cts. up. Free catalogue. Write or call. Hayes Bros. Hatchery, 2039 N. Monroe. M. 2608.

BABY CHICKS—Prices for May 5 to August 1: White, Brown, Buff or R. C. Brown Leghorns, assorted $8.50 per 100; Barred Rocks, S. C. Reds, $9.00; Anconas, White Rocks, R. C. Reds, $11.50; White Wyandottes, Buff Orpingtons, $12.50; 100 per cent live delivery guaranteed; parcel post prepaid; mail your order today to Miller Hatchery, Heyworth, Ill.

BABY CHIX—11c each and up. 10 standard varieties from pure bred heavy laying Hogan tested flocks. Postpaid to you or sold at hatchery. Catalogue free. Standard Hatcheries, 903 E. Wood M. 1393.

CHIX—Why you should buy Lakeside Poultry farm chicks. Elegant for exhibition. None better as layers. An average egg production 20 eggs each per hen during month of January and February. Single Comb Rhode Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns. 1303 S. Hilton, R. R. 8. John Stiarwalt, Fairview 658.

HATCHING EGGS—White Leghorn, $1.50 to $5 per setting. Show record back of them. Waid McCarty, 2135 N. Edward. Main 2665.

R. I. RED EGGS—Thorough-bred. Mrs. Henry Park. County 889. Ring 12.

SETTING EGGS—Full blooded Buff Orpingtons. $1 per setting. Main 8658.

START YOUR CHICKS RIGHT—Feed Buttermilk Developer Mash and Poultry Oatmeal. Shellabarger Feed & Elevator Co. J. M. Allen, Mgr. Sangamon & Clinton Sts. Phone Main 173. We deliver city feed orders.

MERCHANDISE

Articles For Sale. 51

BABY BUGGY—Lloyd loom, frosted blue. Cheap. Fairview 882.

DOUGHNUT OUTFIT—24 pans, 1 kettle, 1 mixing bowl. All fixtures go with it. Cheap. Doing good business. 122 W. Grand.

FINE SOD—Very cheap; wholesale or retail; delivered or not; must sell quickly; grading new streets; fine clim trees also. Main 5149. Fairview 171.

FLOUR SACKS—Good 98 lb. flour sacks; 750 doz. Mail orders delivered, nickel extra. Call at 508 Central Ave.

WIRE CABLE—300 or 400 ft. in lengths of 70 or 80 ft. Lyon Lumber Co.

Business and Office Equipment. 52

BURKS TYPEWRITER CO.—Buys, sells, exchanges and services typewriters. Call M. 1505. at 118½ E. William.

CASES—Well case and floor case, 6 ft. long. 2203 E. Cerro Gordo.

CASH REGISTER—"National," small oak finish; practically new. E. S. Nichols, Findlay, Ill.

LARGE ICE BOX—Cheese knife and case; pair candy scales; pair Dayton computing scales. McCaskey System. Decatur Gun Co. 148 S. Main St. Main 2351.

ROYAL TYPEWRITERS—New. Factory Rebuilt and Reconditioned machines sold and guaranteed. Our service is second to none in the city. Burks Typewriter Co. 118½ E. William.

TYPEWRITERS—New and factory rebuilt machines, all standard makes. Expert repair service. Decatur Typewriter Co., 351 N. Main St. Main 1731.

Household Goods. 53

BUFFET—New Queen Anne; walnut; $45. Call Fairview 888.

CHILD'S BED—White iron, in good condition, $5. Call Main 6615.

CHAIRS—Gas stoves, refrigerators. We buy, sell furniture and stoves. Perry's 2nd Hand Store, 825 E. Eld. M. 2847.

CHINA CLOSET—With combination buffet, Golden Oak. In fine shape. Only $12.50. E. Carter Rose, 558 N. Water.

DINING SUITE—Early English, and oak dresser. Fairview 2434.

DINING TABLE—Round dining room table for sale. Main 5625.

FIBRE MATTING—28 yards in fine condition. Cheap. Main 6130.

FURNITURE—See us before you sell your furniture, stoves, rugs, refrigerators, etc. We pay cash. Globe Furniture Co. 826 N. Water. Main 3687.

LIBRARY TABLE—Fumed oak; like new; cheap. 1868 North Morgan.

LIBRARY TABLE—Porcelain top kitchen table, 2 kitchen chairs and other articles. Used 4 mo. As good as new. 600 W. Harrison.

LIVING ROOM SUITE—High grade 8-piece overstuffed velour, 2-tone brown, removable cushions, Marshall spring construction, 9x12 linoleum rug, and reed library table. 1105 N. Main. Fair. 1075.

LIVING ROOM SUITE—Three-piece fibre; in first-class condition; at a bargain. Fairview 1273 after 5 p. m.

MATTRESSES CLEANED—And given new ticking at small cost. Decatur Mattress Factory, 1026 North Water. Main 1066.

OIL STOVES—We sell Perfection, Puritan, Loraine and Boss. Sizes for every home. $6.80 up. Eldorado Furniture House, 658 E. Eldorado.

REFRIGERATORS—50, 75, 100 lb. top ices, $18.50, $18.80 and $22.50. Good ones. P. O. Greer Furn. Co. 623 N. Water. M. 4349.

SIDEBOARD—Surrey and organ for sale. 2008 Walnut Grove avenue.

UNREDEEMED STORAGE FURNITURE

DINING ROOM SUITE—8 piece F. O. for $54.00. Library tables, $6.00 up.

LIVING ROOM SUITE—2-piece tapestry overstuffed, $65.00.

PIANO—Upright, for $12.50.

FLOOR LAMP—$3.75; standing wire flower rack, $1.50.

RUGS—Several good room size rugs at $10.00 and up.

GAS STOVES—$10.00 up.

DAVENPORTS—And davenettes. Also an inexpensive outfit consisting of bed, spring, new mattress, small dresser, stand table, cook stove, dining table, chairs, 2 rugs and rocker, all for $75.00.

CASH OR CREDIT.

MERIDITH STORAGE AND FURN. CO.

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The oldest dictionary which mankind knows anything about was made in China over three thousand years ago.

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ROOMS AND BOARD

Household Goods. 59

VELVET RUG—11 ft. 3 in. x 9 ft. 2; mahogany chairs, and other household goods. Main 686.

THE BEST PLACE—In the city to buy high grade used furniture and musical instruments Park St. Furniture Store, 248 N. Park St. Main 670.

Jewelry and Watches. 60

UNREDEEMED WATCHES—At almost half price; each watch in good condition. W. Rosenberg, 128 South Water.

Musical Instruments. 62

CLARINETS—Used clarinets, mandolin, banjo, tenor banjo. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

GULBRANSEN PLAYER PIANO—See it in our window then come in and see how easy it pumps, how the melody stands out, how human like it is. The price is only $420 and it's a genuine Gulbransen. Terms. Two years to pay. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

PHONOGRAPH—A new console model. Slightly used. Terms. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 315.

PHONOGRAPH—One small Victor. A bargain at $17.50. Kimball Co. 149 E. Main. Main 247.

PHONOGRAPHS—Several phonographs used as demonstrators offered at reduced prices; also several used machines and discontinued models at bargain prices; convenient terms. Linn & Scruggs.

PHONOGRAPHS—Used $140 model Kimball like new with 10 records, $55.00. Terms. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

PIANO—Upright; solid mogohany; in good condition. 1200 East Wood.

PLAYER PIANO—The easiest pumping player piano in the world. Any child can easily play this instrument. This is something new in player pianos. Don't fail to see this wonder player before you buy. Priced at $405. Wm. Gushard Co. Main 4391.

PLAYER PIANO—Used only as demonstrator, at the same price as used player. A bargain. Kimball Co. 149 E. Main. Main 247.

VICTROLA—Console type. Cost $110 four months ago. Can't be told from new. Priced very low. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

VICTROLA—Large size cabinet. A-1 shape $130 machine, $35. 122 W. Grand.

$175 BUYS—Schiller piano, used only short time. Has been rebuilt and in guaranteed condition. Convenient terms. Linn & Scruggs.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers. 63

CABBAGE—Tomato, Bermuda, Onion Plants. For immediate shipment, millions of stocky open field grown plants. Early Jersey, Charleston, Dutch, Copenhagen Market cabbage. Greater Baltimore, Globe, Red Beauty tomato; Crystal Wax onions. Prepaid mail, 400, $1.00; 1,000, $2.00; express, 5,000, $3.00. Parker Farms, Valdosta, Ga.

RHUBARB PLANTS—12 for $1.00. Nice healthy plants. Fairview 925.

STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Senator Dunlap variety. Ed Walker, 319 S. Main. Main 3592.

Wearing Apparel. 65

RUMMAGE SALE—328 N. Water. Thursday. Westminster church.

Wanted—To Buy 66

OLD BARN—Wanted. Cecil Halbrook, 2464 N. Graceland. Main 3188.

SHOW CASE—Want to buy show case. Telephone Main 7066.

CALL MAIN 670—If you have any furniture or stoves for sale. Park St. Furniture Store, 248 N. Park St.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms Without Board. 68

COLLEGE ST., N.—1721—Strictly modern furnished room; private home.

DECATUR ST., W.—1232—Large room, private entrance; also garage. Main 684.

EAST SIDE—12 blocks out, comfortable room in private modern home. Reasonable rent to refined middled aged companionable woman. Box 781, care Review.

ELDORADO ST., W.—860—Two, nice, large furnished sleeping rooms. Main 3409.

MACON ST., W.—829—Nicely furnished front modern sleeping rooms, adjoining. Large closets. Garage. Main 8278.

MAIN ST., N.—815—Modern furnished sleeping rooms.

MAIN ST., S.—449—Nice, modern, front sleeping room; private entrance; cheap.

MAIN ST., W.—843—Nicely furnished rooms. Call Main 1765.

MARIETTA, W.—968—Nice modern sleeping room, for one or two persons. M. 7061.

WATER ST., N.—1506—Modern sleeping room. Call Main 5151.

ROOMS—Hot and cold water, telephone, newly decorated and refurnished. Special weekly rates. Brunswick hotel.

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

CERRO GORDO, E.—445—Furnished modern l. h. k. and sleeping rooms. Fairview 951.

COLLEGE, N.—544—Two, mod., fur. rooms; private entrance; good home. Main 5800.

CHURCH ST., N.—2085—Two l. h. k. rooms; gas and lights furnished; references. Main 6064.

CLEVELAND, E.—925—3 modern unfurnished rooms. Near car line. Main 1690.

COLLEGE, N.—826—2 large modern front rooms, well furnished, newly papered. Adults, private. Main 8066.

DECATUR ST., W.—1144—Furnished light housekeeping rooms.

DIVISION ST., W.—929—Two strictly modern unfurnished rooms, $20 per month. Call Main 3667.

EDWARD ST., N.—906—Four unfurnished rooms; newly papered and painted; private entrance. Fairview 2446.

FIFTH ST., N.—241—3 modern unfurnished rooms.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

KING, W.—822—Modern furnished room, kitchen privileges. Main 2308.

MAIN, W.—895—Suite of well furnished rooms. Adults. Main 6207.

MARIETTA, E.—1151—2 furnished rooms. Partly modern. Private entrance.

NORTH ST., E.—250—3 unfurnished modern rooms.

NORTH ST., E.—1003—4 large unfurnished rooms and bath, upstairs. Water, gas, lights, furnished. $32 per month. Alice Lee.

NORTH ST., W.—320—Two front modern furnished rooms. Upstairs.

NORTH ST., W.—829—Three, modern, furnished rooms; private bath; main floor; also two front rooms, upstairs.

NORTH ST., W.—872—Two, modern, furnished rooms; adults. Main 3782.

PRAIRIE AVE., W.—235—Three, modern, unfurnished rooms, newly papered. Main 3719.

SANGAMON, E.—1142—Three unfurnished rooms. Call after 6 p. m.

UNION N.—1235—Two, mod. well furnished rooms; adults; references. Main 1741.

CLOSE IN—Five-room furnished apartment. Adults only. Main 3830.

ROOMS—Furnished housekeeping rooms. Inquire Illinois Hotel.

ROOMS—Suite of unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. Steam heat, electric lights, gas stove. J. L. Drake, 330 N. Main St.

NORTH PART—Two, modern, well furnished l. h. k. rooms, for man and wife; near car line. Fairview 1469.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats. 74

CHURCH ST., N.—1605—Furnished apartment; two large rooms and bath.

CLINTON ST., N.—1676—Four-room flat with concrete basement; modern except furnace; $20 per month; to small family. Call at 1865 North Clinton.

FRANKLIN ST., N.—453—2 or 3-room apartment, furnished, modern. Fine place.

GRAND AVE., E.—1209—Modern 3-room unfurnished apartment, $17. Main 6301.

MAIN ST., N.—215—Apartment No. 8; three rooms and bath. Call Main 1276.

WILLIAM ST., W.—552—Modern up-to-date 5-room apartment. Main 3175.

WOOD ST., W.—300 BLK.—5-room apartment. Modern except heat. Smith, Monroe & Smith, 130 W. Main St. Main 1226.

Business Places for Rent. 75

DECATUR DRUG BLDG.—2nd. floor, two rooms. Good elevator service. See Dr. Reeves, 203 Decatur Drug Bldg.

OAKLAND AVE., S.—100 block. New store building. Main 8026. 1004 W. Wood.

PRAIRIE AVE., E.—412—Good business room for rent. New building. Call C. H. Pierce, Main 138.

WATER ST., N.—Good business room for rent. Call C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 138.

FOR RENT STORES—231 E. Eldorado, $36. Also 245 for $50.

STORE ROOM—22x90. Located at 346 N. Main. Will rent for 4 months at $400 per month. See Gately's or call Main 87, ask for Mr. Sternecker.

Farms For Rent. 76

120 ACRES—Grain and dairy farm; 6-room modern house, big bain, milk house and outbuildings, at the edge of Decatur. Immediate possession. B. B. Burns, Realtor, 156 So. Water St. F. 664.

Houses For Rent. 77

CALHOUN, S.—854—6-room cottage, modern. $45 month. Will be vacant April 30. Inquire 1004 W. Wood.

CHURCH ST., N.—1046—Furnished modern house, 6 rooms and bath. Fair. 2253.

FIRST & SEDGWICK—5-room, partly modern house. Main 5601.

GRAND AVE., E.—812—3-room, strictly modern house, with garage. Main 2065.

HOUSE—6 rooms, modern and garage. References required. Apply 1354 N. Broadway.

MACON ST., W.—700 Blk. Modern 8-room house, with garage. Full lot. Immediate possession. C. E. Ward, Main 4460 or 872.

MUELLER AVE.—1156—Five-room, strictly modern, bungalow. Apply 631 North Water. Main 4474.

NORTH ST., E.—545—8-room modern house. Call 2220.

NORTH, E.—625—11 rooms. Suitable for 2 families, or rooming house. Lovely place for garden.

PRAIRIE AVE., W.—671—Ten rooms, modern, newly papered. $30. Main 5070.

SUMMIT AVE., 125—Beautiful 8-room modern bungalow for rent. To adults only. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 138.

EAST SIDE—New strictly modern bungalow, with all the latest improvements. Hardwood floors; breakfast room and fixtures. Burtschi & Co., 122 S. Park. Main 340.

HOUSE—Modern 8-room house, newly redecorated throughout, to be repainted outside. Apply 462 W. William.

NORTHEAST—7-room, all modern house, ideally located. Arranged for l. h. k. purposes. West Side Real Estate Co. Main 2375 or 5673.

NORTHWEST—Furnished or unfurnished, five-room, thoroughly modern house with garage; can give possession at once. Address Box 762, care Review.

WEST END—New, thoroughly modern 5-room bungalow, completely furnished. Call Fairview 2190.

Summer Places For Rent. 80

FARIES PARK—Furnished or unfurnished cottage for rent. Fairview 1287.

LAKE DECATUR BUNGALOW—For rent, sale or trade, furnished bungalow on Lake Decatur. Want small suburban. E. L. Carter, 188 N. Franklin. Main 5226.

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

HOUSE—4, 5 or 6 rooms, wanted on or before May 1st. Main 6700.

ROOMS—2 or 3 light housekeeping rooms by couple with child. In north or east part. Box 768, care Review.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

STORE ROOM—Or garage, for bottling milk. Must have cement floor and proper drainage. Call Main 4792.

WEST END—Couple without children want small apartment or house. Must be attractive. References furnished. Fair. 1904.

3 ROOM—Modern bungalow with garage, family of 2 adults. M. 6503.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Brokers in Real Estate. 82

C. L. NOLTE—Best prices in modern homes and vacant lots. All kinds of insurance. 343 Stand. Life Bldg. Main 4940.

E. L. CARTER—Real estate, loans, insurance. Have customers for west side homes. 188 N. Franklin. Main 5226.

Farms and Land For Sale. 83

OHIO FARM—For sale. 205 acres (lays as parallelogram) on Macadam Road ten miles from Lima, Ohio, four and one-half miles from Wapakoneta, Ohio, County Seat of Auglaize County. On gravel road one and one-half miles from Hume and Buckland, Ohio, both on Lake Erie and Western Railroad. All taxes paid. No incumbrances. 90 acres second growth oak and other timber. Fine deposit, road and building gravel pit open. Good water, fair house, barn, etc. Cash or Liberty Bonds. No Agents. Mrs. F. D. Hanna, 211 N. Fannin Avenue, Denison, Texas.

80 ACRES—Choice black land, well improved, level and well tiled. Near a good town and school. Immediate sale imperative. Best offer takes it. B. B. Burns, Realtor, 156 So. Water St. F. 664.

80 ACRES—Hard road west, 15 minutes' drive from Court House. 6-room house, full lot, on N. Main. Vacant building lot, Wood and Oakland. Call owner. Main 1740.

100 ACRES—Nearly new 8-room house, good barn with cow stanchions, silo, large chicken house, cribs, sheds, etc. Near Dexter on hard road, Effingham County. Free of encumbrance. Will exchange on Macon County farm, income property, or well located garage. B. B. Burns, Owner, 156 So. Water St. F. 664.

Houses For Sale. 84

BROADWAY, N.—$500 down and $30 per month buys a 6-room part modern house on full lot. Composition roof. Price $3,500. Hasenfield & Holt, Realtors, 116 Merchant. M. 204.

BROADWAY, N.—1644—6-room house. Full lot; extra long. $200 down and terms. Inquire 1936 E. North St.

CANTRELL ST., E.—4-room house. Full lot, $2,200. $500 down, $23 per mo. C. N. Kelley, 326 Citz. Bank Bldg. Main 6544.

CENTER ST., E.—5 rooms modern except bathtub. Full lot. Paving paid. A real bargain. $3,100. $800 down. H. E. Cannon. Main 3214 or Fair. 2175.

CERRO GORDO ST., W.—7-room, two-story part modern house. $3,000. $300 down, balance $25 per mo. J. R. Durden, 348 W. Prairie. Main 3520.

CHARLES ST., N.—5 rooms not modern. Gas, garage, well and concrete walks. Full lot. Lots of fruit. $2650. $300 to $500 down, balance $25 a month. Other homes on payment plan. Robt. Huston & Co., Over Farmers State Bank. Main 528.

CHURCH ST., N.—5-room modern bungalow. Garage, full lot. $4,400; easy terms. 6 rooms, modern. Full corner lot. Price $3,900; $700 cash; balance $35 per month. 6 room part modern; full lot. $700 cash; $25 per month. Main 381.

CLEVELAND, E.—5-room modern cottage on beautiful full lot, paved street; close to car line. $700 down, $40 per month. A bargain. Owner leaving city account poor health. Hasenfield & Holt, 116 Merchant. M. 204.

COLLEGE ST., N.—Close in, 6 rooms, modern. A good buy at $4,500. $500 down. Also a 5-room bungalow on Harrison Ave., for $4,100. $800 will handle. F. M. Tarr, 480 E. Center. Main 6187.

COLLEGE ST., N.—8 rooms all modern. Full lot guaranteed, $5,000; $1,000 down. Frank J. Clark, 418 W. Wood St., Fairview 1049.

DENNIS AVE., N.—5-room brick bungalow. A real bargain if taken at once. Main 2575 or 5673.

FAIRVIEW PLACE—Five rooms, strictly modern, two large sleeping rooms and bath above; hardwood floors and finish; well built; full south front lot; $5,600. Drake & Hanneman, 830 North Main street. Main 1062. Residence phone, Main 6586.

FORREST AVE., W.—Very attractive 5-room, 2-story English stucco house. In Dennis school district. Beautiful living room with sun parlor. All rooms finished in gum. Spacious and light bedrooms. White enamel kitchen with built-in features. Full lot. Terms can be arranged. Fair. 2175 or M. 3214.

GREEN ST., W.—5 rooms, electric lights, gas, city water and cistern. Full basement. Full lot. Paving paid. $500 to $700 down, balance monthly. Robt. Huston & Co., Over Farmers State Bank. Main 528.

JASPER ST., S.—244—5-room modern bungalow. See owner, 781 E. Decatur.

JASPER ST., S.—6-room, two-story partly modern. 80 ft. frontage. Close to lake. $300 cash, balance like rent. Also 5-room bungalow northwest. Hardwood floors, built-in features, $1,000 cash, balance, easy payments. W. G. Wright, 413 Millikin Bldg. Main 980.

LAWRENCE ST., E.—Thoroughly modern four-room cottage, $3,500. $500 down and bal. $25.00 per mo. J. R. Durden, 348 W. Prairie. Main 3520.

LEAFLAND, W.—$500 down buys 6-room modern cottage, 2 nice bedrooms, large lot. Close in. Call Main 367.

MAIN ST., E.—New 5-room bungalow. Modern except bath tub and stool. Oak floors. Full concrete basement. Full lot. $3,050. $500 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MONROE ST., N.—Close to Roosevelt Junior High. 7-room all modern. Four large bedrooms. All nicely decorated. Full concrete basement. Garage, $4,000. $800 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MOORE ST., E.—Your chance, new 5-room modern bungalow, by owner, $3,050. $250 down. Balance like rent. Large lot. Possession now. F. 1661.

NORTH ST., E.—2019—Dandy six-room nearly modern house. Close to school, car line and shops. Price $3,200. $600 down. W. E. Greer. Main 386.

OAKLAND AVE., N.—4 new 5-room bungalows, complete, with bathrooms, concrete basements, and electric lights. South fronts. $500 down, $2,900 to $2,500. Main 973.

PRAIRIE AVE., E.—On pavement, 6-room modern cottage. Large rooms, nicely decorated. Full concrete basement. Large lot. Garage. Faces South. $4,400. $2,200 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

SAWYER ST., W.—689—New 5-room bungalow, strictly modern, breakfast room, French doors, built-in features, garage. By owner. Main 5024.

TERRACE GARDENS—5-room modern house, $4,800. $500 down, $35 monthly. Main 4131.

UNION ST., N.—Three 5-room bungalows, 4 new 5-room bungalows, each $2,800, $2,900, $2,700 and $2,950. Easy payments. Allen, 146 Merchant St. M. 427.

UNION ST., N.—800—8 rooms modern, on full lot. Paved street, $3,900, with $1,100 down. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

WOOD ST., E.—1305 block. 5-room bungalow, modern except bath. On full lot. $3,750. $700 down. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

WOOD ST., E.—836—7-room, partly modern house. Lot 40x180. Cheap.

BUNGALOW—Modern; paved street; full lot; garage; terms. Main 1788.

BUNGALOW—

America, Chosen Land Guided by Providence

Dean Thompson Asks How Any One Can Enjoy All Without Contributing Something.

Dean C. M. Thompson of the School of Business Administration of the University of Illinois launched a full broadside against those people of the nation who enjoy the benefits of the nation, who take advantage of the wealth and resources that a kind Providence has given our country and are "too busy" to exercise the right of franchise or contribute to the heritage that is granted them, in an address before the Kiwanis club Tuesday noon.

Critics of the speech, criticising it as a speech, might have found in it the fault that all of it had been said before, but the fact remains that the repitition did no harm and served to stir in its hearers the sense of duty that they owe their country.

ENJOYING AMERICA.

"It came to me as I picked up a newspaper printed in Decatur and saw in it the statement of a Decatur man who had been abroad, that he would not trade Decatur for all of Europe.' That gave me the idea, and I started to wonder if it is necessary that we, the men of our nation, state or communities must cross the sea and see the bickering and strife and jealousy of other nations to appreciate what we have here at home.

"As plain, square-shooting business men, can't we realize that the things that we enjoy today, our liberties, rights and the comforts that we have are a heritage that we should cherish and uphold? America has been chosen by Providence, I believe, as the spot where the great experiment of civilization is to be tried and tested to the end.

GUIDED BY PROVIDENCE.

"It was Providence that caused America to be discovered at the time when printing was first discovered and not at the time of the Rennaissance. Providence held off that discovery until the peoples of Europe that eventually came to our shores were prepared to enjoy the bounties of the new land.

"It was Providence that caused the settlements to first grow along that narrow strip of east coast where the people could learn to depend upon one another and understand the meaning of mutual respect. Had they crossed the mountains to the great plain beyond there would not have been that solidarity and patriotism that caused us to win the war of the Revolution.

A CHOSEN PEOPLE.

"It was Providence that split the two streams that afterward crossed the plain into a grout that went to the north boundaries of the land, believing in free labor and stopped the southern stream at Arkansas, the slavery group. The prophecy of the ages that civilization should move westward was fulfilled in the Eldorado of the west coast.

"All of this leads men to the conviction that we are the chosen people.

"We have everything to make us happy. If we don't add something to it all, we are unworthy of the heritage. How can any decent man or woman enjoy all that is given them and not make some contribution.

"What can we do? We can get out and see to it that there is not a thing that goes on in public life in which we do not have a part—particularly in politics.

HALF DO NOT VOTE.

"Half of us do not vote in the elections. It is a notable fact that the less a man knows about government, the more active he is in politics. Those who do know will not 'descend to play politics'.

"We talk of a government of the people, for the people and by the people, but it doesn't mean anything, is a government by the people when the intelligent classes do not take part in that government?

"Is a government for the people when all legislation is done by small organized minorities?

MINORITY RULES.

"If we believe so, we are the worst deluded people in the world. I would rather have Russia's and Germany's autocracies than be governed by an ignorant majority.

"I think it a burning shame when the uninformed may have equal weight in government by law, but by practice we allow the weight to be overwhelming.

"If the time should ever come in this country when men and women would decide to inform itself upon things governmental and then lend their aid, then we would have such a government as Lincoln spoke of.

Sanitary Boat Badly Damaged

High Wind Drives Craft on to Stump.

Ruby Haggard, sanitary district officer, and W. C. Field, president of the sanitary district board, inspected the wreck of the sanitary motor boat Tuesday. Whether a naval board of inquiry will be set up to establish the reasons for the wreck is not known but the boat was just about finished by the high wind last Saturday when it, dragging its 125-pound anchor, was driven against a sunken stump with the result that a large hole was smashed in the side of the hull.

Change Meeting Date.

The Degree of Honor, No. 1, has changed the time of meeting from the first and third Tuesday nights to the first and third Friday nights, the meetings to be held the same place in the Vie and Fritz hall at 8 o'clock. The next meeting will be Friday evening May 2.

WHAT DID YOU SEE?

E. C. B. saw a stranger drive an automobile up to a filling station in Sullivan and ask the attendant how far it was to Sullivan.

T. R. heard a man telling his wife in an excited manner of an accident to a mutual friend. The man ended saying: "And the doctor thinks he has concession of the brain."

M. T. saw two women running a race this morning after their hats which were blowing down the street.

What did YOU see?

MILLIKIN ELIGIBLE TO THE A. A. OF U. W.

Organization Composed of University Women.

NOW IN CONVENTION

Is Honor That Has Been Sought After.

James Millikin university of Decatur was among thirteen colleges and universities of the United States declared Monday to be eligible to membership in the American Association of University Women, which is holding its annual session in Baltimore, Md.

COSTA RICAN SPEAKER.

The association is composed of university women throughout North and South America. One of Monday night's speakers was Senorita Delores Vercantes of Costa Rica, who said that whatever progress the South American woman is making is due to the influence of her North American sister.

The convention will close Wednesday.

HONOR SOUGHT FOR.

"It is very much worth while," said Dean Wald, acting president of the university, Tuesday. "It is an honor that has been sought after. Dr. Grace Patten Conant and Miss Caroline Lutz were in Chicago in February at the National Educational Association meeting at which time the national officers of the association were met and the proposition advanced.

"This recognition means that graduates of Millikin will be eligible to full membership in the association."

Decatur

Will Benefit Both.

Construction of basic improvements in an addition before putting it on the market, the building of sidewalks, installation of sewers and water mains, laying of pavements, is one of the most progressive steps that the owner of such property can take if he expects to get the most possible out of it.

Ira Clokey when he asked the council for an ordinance for sidewalks which will cost him $10,000 for the property which he owns on North Water street; when he urged that the north side sewer system be rushed even going to the extent of making plans for installing the laterals while the main system is being finished, and when he favored the paving of North Water street, which runs a quarter of a mile along his property, with plans already being discussed for paving some of the streets within the addition, knew that he is not throwing money away.

Such a policy, if generally adopted, would make for more rapid development of suburban property.

It would result in quicker sales at higher prices, prices which would take care of the cost of the improvements and the improvements would be there.

If this policy were generally followed it would save city councils much worry and much time.

It would actually save money to lot owners in that improvements made on such a scale will really cost less than when made piecemeal and after many legal hitches at each job.

It would eliminate the objector because the absolute necessities of modern city life would already be in place.

The corner lot owner with his grievance when streets are to be paved would become a tradition.

Suburban property with these improvements would become to the old style lot laid out in a pasture with stakes marking the "streets" what the modern house is to the house which has none of the modern conveniences.

Such a policy would benefit both the city and the community.

IMPROVEMENTS ON WABASH STARTED

Much New Track in Decatur Yards.

ONLY FEW ACCIDENTS

Close Race with Moberly Being Waged.

The extensive program of improvement which the Wabash has now been carrying on steadily for the last two or three years on the Decatur division, is now under full way for the 1924 season and much money is being expended.

One job which is now being carried on is necessitated by the rebuilding of the destroyed buildings at the car shops. More than one and one-half miles of new switch track is being put in on account of the new buildings. Other track in the shop yards which is of the 58, and 63-pound variety is being changed out and replaced with 80-pound rail. The lead to all of these tracks is to start at a point much farther east than the present lead in to the cornfield tracks. Many other tracks in these yards will have to be rearranged.

START RAIL.

The Wabash rail sawing plant at the shops started work Tuesday morning, sawing much of the old rail out on the line that is being replaced with new rail. Some of this old rail is to be relayed in a number of sidings on the 13th district. This 80 pound rail will replace some of the 63-pound rail sidings such as at Boody and Stonington.

Extra working forces also started to work Tuesday morning in unloading and spreading gravel on the 9th district at Cerro Gordo. This new ballast comes west all the way into Decatur.

Few Accidents.

The "no-accident" campaign being conducted between the Wabash mechanical forces at Decatur and Moberly for the first six months of this year is getting down to a mighty close fight. Wonderful results are being obtained. So far during this month of April, there has been but one injury among the entire mechanical force of 2,200 men at Decatur.

Instruction Car Here.

Instruction car No. 8 of the Wabash enginemen's school, in charge of Instructor J. C. McCutcheon, is here according to announced schedule but the next two weeks will be devoted to instructing the firemen who are soon to come up for examination for promotion to engineers. After this two weeks of special instruction, the regular schedule of lectures for the enginemen will begin. This will keep the car here in Decatur for the next four weeks.

Take Pictures.

The New York construction company which has the contract for building the new Wabash coach shops and the new store department building here keeps the main office in constant touch with the progress of the work by pictures. At regular intervals, as the work progresses, six pictures are taken for the company records.

Railroad Notes.

Del Adams has bid in the fireman job on the Wabash east pool turn with Engineer Crabtree and Fireman Durbin has bid in the first trick main line hostler job. Owing to Fireman Edwards bidding off the road into the yards Monday, the pool turn with Engineer Dolson is now up for bids.

Out of the forty cars of vegetables handled through Decatur Monday by the Wabash, twenty-six carloads were onions. There is also a heavy movement of boxes, box-materials, staves, shooks and barrells through here now This movement amounted to sixteen carloads Monday.

Conductor O'Connell of the Wabash passenger service has bid in the run on Nos. 9-90 between Decatur and St. Louis.

Harold Cowgill of the Wabash clerical forces is temporarily filling the position of first trick ticket clerk in the Wabash passenger station.

Tom Wheeler, Wabash extra dispatcher at Decatur, is laying off and has gone to Jacksonville to be with his mother who is eighty-five years old and critically ill.

Leo Veling, Wabash agent at Catlin, has resigned his position with the company to go into busines for himself.

Grover Drohn, Wabash yard engineer, returned Monday night from Los Angeles, Cal., where he attended the funeral of his mother. He expects to return to work Wednesday.

F. O. Peterson, Wabash lineman at Custer Park, has returned home after spending the winter in Florida.

The regular Wabash pay day bulletin announces that the paymaster will be here with the checks next Friday and Saturday.

In the percentage of "on time" passenger trains for the first fifteen days of April, Decatur division was tied with Moberly and the Western division for second place, all three having a percentage of 94 on time. Springfield division ranked first with 97 per cent of its trains on time. Peru was third with 86 per cent. The Buffalo division with only the sixty passenger trains in fifteen days was fourth with 72 per cent and Detroit division was last with 70 per cent.

Fire Department Calls.

The fire department was called to extinguish a small trash fire in one of the excavations in the 200 block Park street at 11:10 Tuesday morning.

The department answered a call to the residence of Fred Hasenfield, in the 1000 block East Main, at 6 o'clock Tuesday morning. There was only a small roof fire at that place.

Lake Decatur Reflects Beauty

Hills Take on Rich Colors of Nature.

With the sun shooting its rays through holes in the clouds once in a while, Lake Decatur was pretty to look at Tuesday morning as the steady wind rippled its surface.

At the dam the water poured over in a steady waterfall while birds swiftly swept along just above the roaring water.

The hills have taken on the colors which made the poet speak of the "enamel of the meadows" and the trees and hedges are beginning to show the green which made them appear to the same poet as "filigree hedges."

TREES BLOOMING.

An occasional plum, pear or cherry tree, just breaking into bloom adds just a touch of white.

At the dam the great gash cut in the hillside on the opposite bank, where the graders can be seen busily at work preparing the fill for the new hard road, makes a yellow splash on the otherwise green carpeted hills, and in the bottoms the willows and poplars are putting out leaves of the amber-tinted green of their early foliage.

DECATUR'S FRONT DOORS UNTIDY

It's Clean-up Time Now in the City.

TIN CANS UNSIGHTLY

Piled with Trash Near Nelson Park Bridge.

It is spring cleaning time. The housewife is at it in the house and the man of the family, if he has the right kind of citizenship quality, is cleaning up the house surroundings, getting rid of the winter's accumulation of trash, cutting out the dead vines and bushes, rolling the sod, and otherwise trimming up the outside of the home.

Decatur should do likewise about its own front doors. There is need of attention in several places.

NELSON PARK BRIDGE.

Near the Nelson park bridge entrance there are piles of tin cans and trash. Dumping is being done where it should not be done. The city entrances are unkempt, messy and give the appearance of a city hostess who does not care for appearances.

Rickety coal sheds, tumble down barns, dirty barn yards, signs advertising chewing gum, automobile tires, hams, bacon, "the skin you love to touch" all add that untidiness to the city entrances which a little concerted effort on the part of officials, city, township and county, and property owners could easily remove.

City entrances impress the visitors. They will soon be coming by the thousands. Making dumping grounds of them is not looked upon as good business, or as conductive to good citizenship.

TO GIVE MUSICALE AT ST. PATRICK'S

St. Cecilia's Club to Hold Annual Spring Recital Wednesday.

The St. Cecilia's club of St. Patrick's school will give its annual spring recital Wednesday afternoon, April 23, at 2:30. An unusually interesting program has been planned and the friends of the pupils are invited to come.

PROGRAM.

"The Nasturtium" (Churchill-Grindell)—Junior St. Cecilia's club.

"Spring Song" (Mendelssohn)—Piano A. M. E. Wrigley, piano B. F. Waite.

"Butterfly Dance" (Kronke)—J. Smith, F. Meara.

"Morning Prayer" (Streabbog)—Piano A. C. Jordan, C. Gollings; piano B. A. L. Murphy, A. Murphy.

"Sunny Memories"—Violin solo, P. Hart.

"Burlesca" (Gurlitt)—Piano A. A. McEvoy, J. McEvoy; piano B. R. Jenkins, B. Muleady.

"The Duel" (E. Field)—Recitation V. Clear.

"The Myrtles" (Wachs)—M. J. Noble, R. Jenkins.

"Rustic Dance" (Schnecker)—M. M. McGrath, T. McGrath, D. Dougherty, J. Dougherty.

"Golden Star Waltz" (Streabbog)—William J. Goodwin, J. Fitzpatrick.

"Slumber Boat" (Gaynor)—Vocal solo, R. Finnegan; violin accompaniment, Mary Deverell.

"Two Flowers" (Koelling)—Piano A. A. McEvoy, L. McEvoy, B. Boland; piano B. M. E. Higgins, M. L. Heatherton, M. J. Quinn.

"High School March"—Violin trio, William Ward, J. Wirshak, H. Kelley.

"Golden Butterflies" (Spaulding)—J. Driscoll, M. Driscoll.

"Ting-a-Ling" (Spalding)—Piano A. M. L. Heatherton, V. Clear, M. Daly; Piano B. M. E. Higgins, L. Scardelli, R. Jenkins.

"Gipsy Rondo" (Haydn)—M. F. O'Brien, E. Boland.

"Minuet in G" (Beethoven)—Piano A. M. Giberson, A. L. Murphy; piano B. C. Hutchinson, C. Muleady; violins, William Ward, J. Wirschak, H. Kelley.

"Polonaise Militaire in A Major (Chopin)—M. E. Wrigley, M. F. O'Brien, E. Bloand.

"Moment Musical" (Schubert)—C. Hutchinson.

"Roses" (Denza)—Senior St. Cecilia's club.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Williams of Windsor, Ill., in the Decatur and Macon County hospital April 22, a daughter.

To Mr. and Mrs. Cecil J. Robertson 338 North Water street, April 22, a son.

200 PHYSICIANS AT CLINIC AT HOSPITAL

Many Cities Are Represented.

SHOW MUCH INTEREST

Dinner in Evening At Decatur Club.

Nearly 200 physicians were in the Decatur and Macon County hospital Tuesday attending clinics throughout the day. Many more than 100 were registered by noon, and it was known that all had not registered while physicians came in almost constantly. Others were expected for late afternoon and evening clinics.

PLACES REPRESENTED.

These visiting physicians who registered represented the following places:

Chicago, Springfield, Clinton, Champaign, Findlay, Bloomington, Farmer City, Deland, Monticello, Le Roy, Blue Mound, Shelbyville, Palmer, Sullivan, Argenta, Beason, White Heath, Bement, Atlanta, Mowequa.

LUNCH AT SANATORIUM.

All the clinics were well attended, and great interest was shown in the work. The visitors were served lunch in the dining room of the Tuberculosis sanatorium, where the main part of the clinic work will be done during the afternoon.

A full 150 of these physicians came from outside points before 1 o'clock. The dinner will be served in the evening in the Decatur club and papers and discussions will be given during the evening program.

BIRD-TREE EXHIBIT AT DURFEE SCHOOL

Houses and Shelters Shown for This Week.

Bird houses, bird posters and feeding shelters are being shown in an exhibit of the Bird and Tree club at the Durfee school. The exhibit was shown in Springfield last week at the meeting of the State Parent-Teachers meeting and consists almost entirely of the work of the children.

Some of the houses show ingenuity on the part of the builders and are real works of art. A cocoanut shell makes a comfortable wren house. Others are built of sticks and boxes. They all represent much work.

Charts showing the food of birds are also being exhibited. Little bath houses and feed houses are also included in the exhibit. Books made by members of the Bird and Tree club and giving the life with pictures of the birds are interesting.

The exhibit will be shown for the remainder of the week and is placed in the main corridor of the school.

NEW PAVEMENT AT M. C. MINE

Brick Being Laid On Top of Old Concrete Drive.

There is one paving job in Decatur which is going ahead without any reference to the city council, the board of local improvements, public hearings, troubles about corner lots or similar obstacles which hamper the progress of public work of that kind. The Macon County Coal Co. is repaving its driveway on which the coal teams get from the shafts, near the foot of South Main street, to South Franklin street by laying a brick pavement over the old concrete pavement which had begun to show considerable wear in spots.

The new pavement will have concrete curbs to hold it in place and concrete fillers will be poured on the brick surface.

No. 2 Firemen Do House Cleaning

Throw Open Windows and Sweep Out Dust.

The "every-day" callers at No. 2 fire house—those who run in almost every day for a game of cards or to read or to wrangle with the firemen—know just how a sparrow feels when he returns to the gutter on the roof and finds his nest all torn out.

Firemen at No. 2 house started housecleaning Tuesday morning and it wasn't any place for rest or comfort. All doors and windows stood open and the chill winds blew into every nook and corner. Men with brushes and brooms swept the thick coat of dust from the overhead beams and fixtures, swept the walls, the floors and every place where a speck of dust might stray. The air was thicker than a fog and the wind caught it and blew it around in clouds. The usual visitors drove up, took one look at what was going on, then moved on, not to return until the spring housecleaning is through.

POLICE NOTES.

Stanley Schmanski was arrested Monday night on complaint of Martin Koper, who charged him with making threats. Both live at 2148 North Woodford street and are employed at the Malleable Iron Works.

M. J. Carroll of New York was arrested Monday for speeding. Justice Lloyd fined him $18.40.

Harrison McKee, deserter from the United States marines, was arrested in Decatur Monday and will be taken to Jefferson barracks.

Hear President's Speech by Radio

Fine Reception By Hundreds of Fans.

President Coolidge's address at the Associated Press meeting in New York City Tuesday afternoon was received clear and loud on hundreds of radio sets in Decatur. For the most part the talk was taken from KSD at St. Louis. From the station even the little single circuit sets could get it clear and loud.

When the President and Mrs. Coolidge entered the room there was great storms of applause, the band played and the guests yelled. Frank Noyes made the introduction address which ended with the assembly drinking a toast to President and Mrs. Coolidge. Mr. Coolidge talked for half an hour in many homes not a word was lost.

The president's audience, in the grand ball room of the Waldorf Astoria was composed of the leading newspaper publishers and editors of the United States, but his address and that of Mr. Noyes were heard by millions of radio listeners throughout the country. Nearly seven thousand miles of telephone wires—the largest circuit of its kind ever established—relayed the speeches to eleven radio station, where they were broadcast.

NAME CANDIDATES FOR MUSIC EVENTS

Two Music Numbers on Program.

There will be two musical numbers by members of the graduating class of the high school on their commencement program. Nominations for musical numbers were read Tuesday morning. Those nominated are: Quartet (David Jenkins, Raymond London, Emmett Connor, Lawrence Leonard); Vocal—Goldie Ray, Margeret Kistler, Julia Bohon, Blanche McCarter; Violin—Robert Walters, Wayne Edie, Raymond Blickle; Piano—Virginia Lipscomb, Alice Weld, De Ette Hammel; Saxophone—Bennett Bradley; Cornet—Ned Pollard. Discussions were held also on the candidates for the reading to be given. Not enough time was allowed for discussion on the candidates for the musical program.

Tryouts for Taylorville debate will be held Wednesday evening, eighth hour in Room 222.

MAY BUILD SHELTER AT TOURIST CAMP

Kiwanis Club May Make Improvement.

A shelter building and dining hall for the Decatur tourist camp in Dreamland park may be erected soon by the Kiwanis club of Decatur, it was indicated Tuesday at the club's noonday meeting.

The club plans the expenditure of about $250 in a building such as other Kiwanis clubs about the country have erected and Roy Cope and William Collins, club members, are gathering data on such a structure preparatory to presenting their findings to the next club meeting.

ECONOMIC CLUB HAS BAKERY SALE MAY 3

Date is Changed Because of Woman's Club Sale April 30.

At a meeting of the Woman's Economic club Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. J. C. Lyons, 524 West Macon, the women decided to change the date of the bakery sale from April 26 to May 3, at which time it will be held in the Augustine and Oplinger shop. The change was made because of the fact that the Woman's club is having a bakery sale on April 26 and as a number of women are members of both organizations, they thought it would be better to postpone the Economic sale. The proceeds from the affair go to the support of the Decatur Union Mission. Each member is asked to give something for the sale and also is to solicit her friends and acquaintances in order that the event will be a success.

BIBLE TALK.

Following the business, Mrs. Eugenie M. Bacon gave one of the most interesting in a series of talks on the Bible. She told of how the Bible first was written in the Hebrew language, and then traced its history from the beginning.

A social hour and refreshments followed Mrs. Bacon's talk.

NOAH CREIGHTON OF BEMENT INJURED

Is Brought to Decatur and Macon County Hospital.

Noah Creighton of Bement was brought to the Decatur and Macon County hospital Tuesday noon, suffering from the effects of an accident in which his head was injured. The extent of his injuries is not known but he was found to be suffering with a broken leg and lacerations about the head.

Just how the accident occurred is not known now but the man was husking corn when it happened.

Bill for Divorce.

Olga Lamb has filed a bill for divorce from Charles J. Lamb. They were married Aug. 22, 1918, and lived together till Nov. 15, 1921. She charges him with desertion and asks for the custody of their little son and alimony.

Reinder's Petition for Vote Recount Allowed

R. H. Patton; Mineworkers Attorney, Represents John Clark—Other Lawyers Present.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

LAKE LEVEL.

The lake level at noon Tuesday was 710.3 the same as Monday night.

SHORT SUMMER.

"Gee, that was certainly a short summer", remarked a man who came out without his overcoat Tuesday morning and battled across Lincoln Square against the stiff northwest wind.

BEAUTIFUL SUNSET.

One did not need to be a member of the art classes at the Art institute to know that the sunset of Monday evening was one of unusual beauty. A rose pink curtain of cloud was slowly rolled up from the west where the sun went to rest from a sky of purest blue.

WORK ON LAUNDRY.

Workmen are pouring concrete for the walls and raising the stack for the new Norman Laundry Co. plant which is being built at the foot of South Water street, between that street and South Main street, where the experimental laboratory of the McLaughlin Atomized Fuel Co. stood, this having formerly been the Alfs Reduction Co. plant.

HOCKEY FIELD READY.

The hockey field in Fairview park has been put into shape for use and Mr. Torrence is anxious that the girls begin playing on it.

DELINQUENT TAXES.

The penalty of 1 per cent on delinquent real estate taxes will go into effect May 1. About $1,000,000 in taxes is still outstanding. County Treasurer B. F. Coffman is looking for a big rush during the next eight days. He collected $27,000 in taxes Monday.

PENSION TRUSTEE.

Desk Sergeant Tim Collins was Monday elected a member of the board of trustees of the police pension fund. This is the twelfth time in succession that he has been elected. The other members of the board are Henry Hagen and Ulysses Michl.

HEAR BURSTEIN CASE.

The case of Morris Burstein, charged with selling, manufacturing and possessing liquor, was taken up in the county court Tuesday.

DISCUSS ASSESSOR.

At a special meeting of the town board to be held at the town clerk's office in the 100 block East Main street Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock it was expected that the question as to whether or not the township assessor's job should be made a full time place instead of the present few months in each year, would be settled.

INSTRUCTION TO Y. W. DELEGATES

Several to Go to New York Convention.

Delegates to the eighth national convention of the Y. W. C. A. received their instructions, Monday evening, in a meeting for discussion of the seven important questions to come before the convention, which is to be held in New York City, May 1. This instruction meeting was presided over by Mrs. A. T. Mills, president of the association and Miss Mathilde Hawkins, general secretary.

The delegates were introduced at this meeting. They are Mrs. A. T. Mills, Miss Mathilde Hawkins, who represent the general work, Mrs. Will Wood representing the Girl Reserves; Miss Esther Bergen the committee on membership, and Miss Anne Durbin, one of two representatives from Illinois, sent to the business assembly. This committee which Miss Durbin represents is composed of eighteen from this region and during their deliberations the program for the summer conferences will be made up.

DR. GRIMMES IN NEW YORK.

Dr. Ellen Grimes now in New York is a delegate, also, representing the health education department, and Miss Doris Lowe of Millikin represents the Millikin cabinet.

The party will leave Decatur, Monday, April 28, and will be in New York City, for the opening conference where Mrs. Frederick M. Paist of New York City, will preside until the new officers are elected.

The questions which were taken up Monday evening were:

Change in membership basis.

Changes in the constitution of the national association.

The question of raising the standards for volunteer and employed workers.

Corresponding memberships.

Character, place and significance of work in the life of women.

Board report for 1923.

Extension and legislation, features, added to the work.

The finance issues.

The convention opens April 30 and lasts for eight days.

MEETINGS.

Golden Crown Camp, No. 129, R. N. of A.—Meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock in the Woodman hall.

Ladies' Auxiliary to B. of R. T.—Meeting at 8 o'clock Wednesday afternoon in the Vie and Fritz hall.

Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F. and A. M.—Special meeting Tuesday night at 7 o'clock in the Masonic Temple, corner of Water and William streets.

Hotel and Restaurant Employes, Local No. 87—Meeting Tuesday night at 8:00 in Painters' hall, 150 Merchant street, second floor.

Judge J. S. Baldwin indicated Tuesday afternoon that the Reinders election recount of certain precincts would start Wednesday morning. It is expected that special judges and tellers will be appointed and that the recount will be finished by Friday or Saturday.

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The petition of Fred W. Reinders to contest the nomination of John Clark for the nomination for representative in the twenty-eighth district was taken up in circuit court before Judge James Baldwin Tuesday morning, who overruled a motion to throw out the petition.

While W. C. Chynoweth, Henry Menzel and J. W. Persons are named as co-defendants, Mr. Clark is the real defendant. Mr. Chynoweth and Mr. Menzel were present in the court room, the former being represented by Attorney W. E. Deabelmer. Mr. Menzel had no lawyer.

SPRINGFIELD ATTORNEY.

Mr. Clark is represented by R. H. Patton of Springfield, chief counsel for the state organization of the United Mineworkers of America, and by John J. Hogan, Whitley & Fitzgerald and Arthur Delehunty of Decatur.

McDavid, Monroe & Hershey represent Mr. Reinders.

At the opening of the hearing on the petition the attorneys for Mr. Clark offered a motion to dismiss on the ground that the canvassing board had not been served. This motion after long argument was overruled. Receipts of service had been received from the country clerk in all but one county and Mr. Reinders himself testified as to the filing of the notice in that county.

LONG ARGUMENT.

Mr. Hogan then attacked the petition generally and entered a motion to strike it from the files. He insisted that if the ballots in any of the districts be re-counted, and all of the ballots cast in the senatorial district should be re-counted; that the law referred to the election of candidates in the entire district and not in certain precincts of the district.

Mr. Patton spoke along the same lines and argued that counting the ballots of the entire district might bring about an entirely different result from that obtained by counting the ballots in only the nine precincts in Decatur that are in the petition. Throughout the remainder of the district Mr. Clark might gain more votes than he would lose in the nine Decatur districts; that all the voters in the district had a right to have their votes recounted, if any are to be re-counted.

MONROE'S RESPONSE.

Mr. Monroe responded that the law provides that a contest may be confined to the territorial area in which the petitioner desires to contest, and he is insisted that this means that certain precincts within the district may be selected for the purpose of contest.

Judge Baldwin overruled Mr. Hogan's motion to strike the petition from the files. He said that the primary act wisely provides that any number of precincts may be included in a petition for a contest; that it was unthinkable that in case a candidate for governor should want to contest and re-count the vote in a certain county he must have the vote of the entire state recounted. He said that it is assumed that in all precincts not included in the petition the votes had been properly counted.

A recess was then taken until 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

MARRIED

HELWIG-METTLER.

Harold E. Helwig of Decatur and Miss Gennell Mettler of Mattoon were married at 9 o'clock Monday morning by Rev. Wilbert Dowson, pastor of Grace Methodist church, in his home, 825 North Main. They were accompanied by Mr. Helwig's mother, Mrs. Edna Helwig, formerly of Burlington, Ia.

Mr. Helwig is a traveling salesman in the employ of the Northwestern Cabinet company of Burlington, with headquarters in Decatur. Mrs. Helwig formerly was employed as stenographer in the M. E. Mount Furniture House in Mattoon. Mr. and Mrs. Helwig will live with the former's mother at 1048 West Decatur.

DOTSON-CAMPBELL.

John W. Dotson and Miss Clara Bernice Campbell, both of Niantic, were married at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon by Judge J. H. McCoy in the court house.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Lloyd E. Kirkman, Decatur 20
Theresa Elizabeth Connolly, Decatur .. 18

John William Dotson, Niantic 21
Clara Bernice Campbell, Niantic 18

TWO SENTENCED TO STATE FARM

Thomas Goodwin and John A. Whalen Given Three Months Each.

Thomas Goodwin and John A. Whalen, who were convicted in the county court of possessing and transporting liquor, were each fined $200 and costs and given three months each on the state farm at Vandalia by Judge J. H. McCoy Tuesday morning.

Home Humor.

Boston Transcript.—She (closing book)—Mercy! What a terrible creature that Minotaur was! It says that he used to devour a young maiden at a meal and then fall into a deep sleep.

He—Overcome by the lamb he chewed, I suppose.

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Underwood Wants Pension To Replace Bonus; Expect Final Senate Vote Today

Convenes Early to Rush Action; Debate Grows Warm In Closing Hours of Fight.

Washington, April 23.—Convening two hours earlier than usual the senate pressed toward a vote today on the soldier bonus bill with each speaker limited to 15 minutes.

The principal controversy centered on the amendment for inclusion in the bill of a cash option provision.

The pending bill makes provisions for all enlisted men and women and officers up to and including the rank of captain in the army and marine corps and lieutenant in the navy.

ATTACKS MEASURE.

Opening debate today Senator Underwood renewing the attack against the bonus, advocated a pension law.

"You dishonor those protectors of our nation by offering them dirty dollars," Mr. Underwood said, "or by proposing to give them these insurance policies.

"The man who fought on the first line of battle will have to carry this ecuntry in the next twenty years. You fixed this bonus so that it won't be paid for twenty years and propose that these men instead of you will have to pay for it.

"You're adding under this legislation an enormous tax to an already heavy burden."

SCENES OF DISTRESS.

Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, picturing scenes of distress in the farm areas, and the growth of public indebtedness, sounded the opening attack on the bonus yesterday and declared, "it is time to take stock and turn the corner."

He, like Senators Fernald, Republican, Maine, and Bruce, Democrat, Maryland, who also spoke against the bonus, prefaced their remarks with the assertion they expected the pending bill to be passed.

WILL SUPPORT IT.

Likewise, most of the Democratic speakers of the day, although declaring in favor of the cash option amendment proposed by Senator Copeland, Democrat, New York, said they expected to vote the straight insurance bill and attempt, if it became law, to amend it later to include cash option.

Between speeches, Senators constantly sought permission to insert in the record, messages from American Legion posts of their states requesting that support be given the pending straight insurance bill.

Senator Borah warned that even as a political proposition, the passage of a bonus bill, was questionable policy.

Lowden May Wield Gavel At Cleveland

Coolidge Considers Chairmen for Convention.

Washington, April 23.—Selections for the temporary and permanent chairmanships of the Republican national convention are being given considerable thought by President Coolidge and he is expected to make known his preferences before Wednesday when the national committee's sub-committee on arrangements will meet at Cleveland.

The president conferred with a number of political leaders on the subject while in New York to address the annual luncheon of the Associated Press but desired to consider the matter further here before making a decision.

LIKELY CHOICE.

Former Governor Lowden of Illinois is regarded by some as a likely choice among those mentioned for the temporary chairmanship.

Others under consideration are said to include:

Secretary Hughes;
Senator Willis, Ohio;
C. G. Dawes;
Representative Longworth, Ohio;
Senator Borah, Idaho;
Former Senator Beveridge, Indiana;
Governor Hyde, Missouri;
Governor Groesbeck, Michigan;
Senator Pepper, Pennsylvania.

COOLIDGE WINS IN NEW JERSEY

Overwhelms Johnson in State Primaries.

Newark, N. J., April 23—President Coolidge yesterday overwhelmed Senator Hiram Johnson, California, in the New Jersey preferential primary. With 479 districts still unreported, the president had a lead of nearly 80,000 votes, which was being increased by belated returns.

President Coolidge captured the entire state of thirty-one Republican national convention delegates. The Coolidge delegates at large were leading their Johnson opponents by approximately 70,000 votes, while in the congressional districts, the Coolidge candidates were well ahead in every contest.

Returns from 2,035 election districts out of 2,514 in the state, gave for presidential preference: Coolidge, 90,274; Johnson, 10,487.

ARKANSAS DEMOS FOR SEN. ROBINSON

Little Rock, Ark., April 23.—The Arkansas Democratic central committee met here today to select the state's delegation to the national convention and to determine whether the delegation shall be governed by the unit rule in voting for the presidential and vice presidential nominees.

It appeared certain today that the Arkansas delegation would be instructed to support Senator Robinson, the Democratic leader, for president.

GEORGIA DEMOCRATS.

Atlanta, April 23—Georgia Democrats were in convention here today to name delegates to the national convention and instruct them to vote for the nomination of W. G. McAdoo for president. McAdoo's overwhelming victory in the recent primaries assured him the delegation.

GERMAN DIPLOMAT DIES IN BERLIN

Berlin, April 23—Count Adolph von Montgelas, German minister to Mexico and former head of the American section of the foreign office, died today.

IRISH TO ARGUE ULSTER BOUNDARY

London, April 23—The Ulster boundary conference, which was interrupted a couple of months ago, will be resumed Thursday at London.

JURY CALLS THAW SANE

Held in Custody, However, Pending Decision of Former Wife's Counsel.

Philadelphia, April 23—Although he was declared sane by a jury last night, Harry K. Thaw today still is in the Pennsylvania hospital for mental and nervous diseases.

After the verdict, William A. Gray, counsel for Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's divorced wife, whose thirteen-year-old son was permitted to intervene in the trial, requested the usual four days in which to file a motion for a new trial. Judge Monahan held Thaw in the custody of the court pending disposition of the motion.

NO DEFINITE PLANS.

Thaw and his aged mother received news of the verdict in Mrs. Thaw's suite at the Ritz-Carlton hotel. Thaw said he would not make any definite plans for the future.

Thaw did not say whether he would voluntarily go to New York to answer the indictment charging him with an attack on Frederick Gump, Jr., a Kansas City high school boy, should he eventually gain his freedom.

Since he shot and killed Stanford White in New York in June, 1906, Thaw has spent about sixteen years in jails and asylums.

HARRISBURG FIRE LOSS $150,000

Harrisburg, Ill., April 23 — The Pruett block, housing five stores, was virtually a total loss Tuesday gutted by a fire starting from the ignition of a quantity of fireworks in a drug store basement, which caused a loss of approximately $150,000.

SCIENTISTS DELVE INTO ATOM'S SECRETS

Washington, April 23—The structure and physical laws of the atom were discussed Tuesday by two eminent scientists addressing the more than 2,000 members of the American Chemical Society gathered here for the opening session of the organization's sixty-seventh annual convention.

Japs, Trapped in Sunken Sub, Die Praising Country

Tokio, April 23 — Messages scratched in the paint on doors and chests on the Japanese submarine 43, sunk during maneuvers on March 19 by the cruiser Tatsuta and raised last week, were made public Tuesday. The officers reported hearing under water signals clearly. They worked until the end to shut out the water.

Some of the messages were:

"Emperor, Banzai. We have no excuses. We will protect our country after death." "We listen to the water signals like the voice of God." "We are all performing our duty to our utmost. The imperial navy is sound. I am satisfied."

Forty-two officers and men lost their lives.

WANT PERSHING.

Rochester, Minn., April 23 — Mark A. Woods of Lincoln, Neb., Coolidge delegate to the Republican national convention, stated he would launch a campaigning to give General Pershing the Republican vice presidential nomination.

WAY TO VICTORY.

New York, April 23 — James Gerard, former United States ambassador to Germany, declared "the lifting of the lid in Washington" would bring back to the Democratic party the 2,500,000 voters necessary for victory.

MACDONALD TO SUPPORT AIMS OF COOLIDGE

Advocation of New Peace Conference Wins Favor.

London, April 23—(AP)—President Coolidge's speech at a luncheon of the Associated Press in New York yesterday has been favorably received here both by press and by officials of the Macdonald government.

It is expected the premier will take the earliest opportunity to proclaim his wholehearted support of the American executive's proposed conference.

Mr. Macdonald is in Wales and orders have been issued that he is not to be disturbed during the few days rest he is having before going to Windsor for his first visit at the king's home.

It was stated in Downing street this morning, however, that President Coolidge's speech undoubtedly found its way to the premier as soon as it arrived.

PARIS ATTITUDE

Paris, April 23—President Coolidge's speech is given prominence in the newspapers which regard it as of the greatest importance.

WANTS FORD TO MEET TERMS

Tennessee Manufacturer Objects to Any Private Lease.

Washington, April 23—Appearing as a representative of the Tennessee Manufacturers Association, B. H. Wilkins, Tullahoma, Tenn., today urged the senate agriculture committee not to award Muscle Shoals to any private enterprise unless the contract recognized the control of the federal water power act, assured the completion of dam No. 3, the distribution of power to adjoining states, the manufacture of fertilizer in time of peace and munitions in time of war.

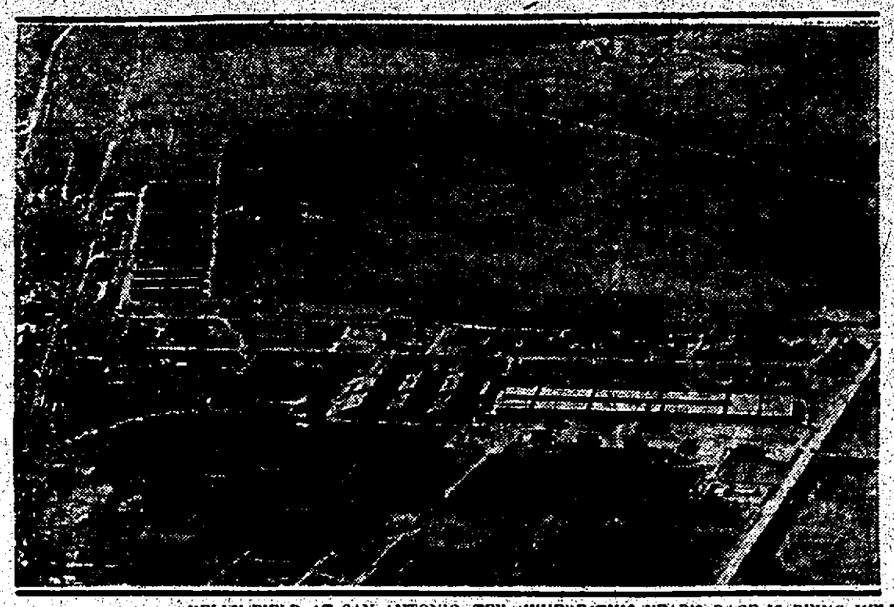
"Now, if Henry Ford will enter into a contract with the government which will insure compliance with these conditions, we will be glad to see him operate Muscle Shoals," Wilkins said.

POSSE SEEKS SIX LA SALLE BANDITS

LaSalle, Ill., April 23.—Sheriff forces of LaSalle county are searching for six bandits who wounded two men in a gun fight after getting between $3,000 and $4,000 loot when they held up twenty men in the Elf soft drink parlor here early Sunday morning.

Edward J. Franken is in a hospital here with a bullet wound in the right shoulder, and Patrick McInerney, brother of Chief of Police McInerney, had a finger shot away. Both will recover, it is reported.

American Balloons After World's Record



KELLY FIELD AT SAN ANTONIO, TEX., WHERE THIS YEAR'S RACE IS BEING HELD.

G. O. P. Organization Buries Gov. Pinchot

Runs 200,000 Behind With Half Pennsy's Delegate Vote Counted.

Philadelphia, April 23—Ralph Beaver Strassburger, wealthy Norristown publisher, running against Governor Pinchot in yesterday's primary for delegate at large to the Republican national convention, had a lead of nearly 200,000 votes in less than half the election districts of the state.

Returns from 3,427 districts of the 8,119 in the state gave Strassburger 320,537 and Pinchot 122,470.

LOSES PHILADELPHIA.

The city of Philadelphia alone returned a majority for Strassburger of 190,107.

The other six candidates for Republican delegates at large, who were endorsed by the state organization—Secretary of the Treasury Mellon, United States Senator Pepper and Reed, W. S. Vare, Representative in congress, W. H. Baker, chairman of the state Republican committee and Mrs. Elizabeth P. Martin—appeared to have run strong. Although none of the Republican delegates at large are pledged to any candidate, all are believed to favor President Coolidge.

LOSES SUPPORT.

The majority against the governor in Philadelphia was attributed largely to the withdrawal of the support of the organization led by Representative Vare. He announced last Saturday that he could not support the executive because of his suggestion that F. J. Heney be employed as counsel to the senate committee investigating the internal revenue bureau. Mrs. Strassburger, to whom Vare turned his support, declared the issue "was loyalty to President Coolidge."

Republicans elected 79 delegates to the national convention, seven at large and two from each congressional district; the Democrats, an equal number of district delegates and eight at large, each however, with only a half vote.

Both parties nominated candidates for congress in the 36 districts of the state.

DEPEW TOO BUSY TO TAKE UP GOLF

Hopes to Attend G. O. P. Convention.

New York, April 23—Ten years from now Chauncey M. Depew may start golf, but just now, when he is only ninety, he won't break the daily routine at his office, he said yesterday.

The veteran railroad man, after-dinner speaker and former United States senator, who celebrated his ninetieth birthday, planned to spend it as any other day. He arrives in his office about 10 o'clock each morning and leaves between 4:30 and 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

AT CONVENTION.

Mr. Depew hopes to speak again this year at the Republican national convention. At the last one in Chicago he spoke forty-five minutes and he has been attending them regularly since 1864.

Mr. Depew approves of women in politics, but thinks they take it all too seriously, especially their speeches for they leave out the funny stories.

FARMER TURNS IN 11 WOLF SCALPS

Galesburg, Ill., April 23—Ed Peterson, a Victoria farmer, has turned eleven wolf scalps over to George Larson and drew a bounty of $27.50.

The eleven wolves, with eyes scarcely opened and only a few days old, were found in a nest concealed in a ditch near Maxey chapel.

RALSTON HAS LOST GROUND

Indiana Democratic Candidate Has Lost Some Advantages.

By MARK SULLIVAN.

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Washington, D. C., April 23.—A change has taken place in the status of Senator Ralston of Indiana, in respect to the Democratic race for the Presidential nomination.

For nearly three months the prediction that Ralston would be the ultimate choice of the New York Convention has been common among the older type of Democratic politicians, and among that class of seasoned observers who argue from the basis of certain traditional usages.

DOUBT STATE.

This prediction has been based largely on the familiar argument that Ralston comes from a fairly large state which is doubtful as between the Republicans and Democrats. In previous presidential years, this "large doubtful state" argument has usually been put forward in behalf of Ohio.

It accounts for the fact that far more presidential candidates are chosen from Ohio than from any other state.

Out of a total of fifteen presidential candidates of the Democratic, Republican and Progressive parties since 1900, five have come from Ohio.

COX ONLY ONE.

This year, in the Democratic race, no one is mentioned from Ohio, except ex-Governor Cox, and he is not looked upon as a serious contender.

Since there is no clearly available man from Ohio and since there is one, in the person of Ralston, from Indiana, the advantage that has usually gone to Ohio in this year transferred to Indiana, which, while somewhat smaller, is equally doubtful and only a little less important in the election.

HAS LOST GROUND.

This geographical argument that Ralston is the logical candidate still holds good, so far as it goes. But it is now clear that certain advantages strongly averse to turning to Ralston

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OPEN WAUKEGAN INDIAN MOUND

Waukegan, Ill., April 23—An Indian burial mound containing skulls, beads, weapons, stone implements and other relics was opened and leveled by a contractor building summer cottages on the south shore of Pistakee lake. Fine specimens of flint arrow heads, tomahawk and stone bowls were found.

ARGENTINA FAVORS RED CROSS LEAGUE

Buenos Aires, April 23—President Llambias of the Argentine Red Cross has informed the League of Red Cross societies, assembling in Paris next Sunday, that the Argentine society is against the idea of dissolving the league which is to be discussed at the meeting.

BALLOON RACE TO START LATE TODAY

Kelly Field Scene of Elimination Contest.

San Antonio, Texas, April 23.—Seven pilots and their seven aides had completed all their preparations today for the start this afternoon in the national balloon elimination race at Kelly Field, except to inflate the gas bags.

This work will not be started until a few hours before the race, and and will be in charge of Lieutenant Frank Kehoe, expert of the United States army in charge of gas activities for the lighter-than-air work at Scott Field, Ill.

START AT 4:30 P. M.

Favorable weather conditions are predicted and the first balloon is scheduled to take the air at 4:30 p. m. The course is expected to be northeast.

T. C. 3 LOSES BATTLE.

Belleville, Ill., April 23.—The United States army non-rigid dirigibles T. C.-3, which left here yesterday in a flight to San Antonio, Texas, arrived at Scott field shortly after 8:30 o'clock this morning.

The T. C.-3 was forced to return because of a severe storm in northern Texas. The ship was undamaged but will not attempt another flight to San Antonio at this time.

AGED ILLIOPOLIS WOMAN IS KILLED

Mrs. Miner Run Down On Staunton Crossing.

Litchfield, April 23—Mrs. Julia Miner, 75, Illiopolis, was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon by Wabash train No. 10 at the Mill street crossing at Staunton.

Mrs. Miner had been making her home with her daughter since October.

She started to visit some acquaintances near the mill and as she approached the crossing, the watchman, Jonathan Morgan, warned her not to cross, but she evidently did not hear him.

Her body was carried a distance of fifty feet. The remains were taken to the Edward Meyer undertaking rooms.

30 KILLED IN SWISS WRECK

Bodies, Recovered from Ruins, Burned Beyond Recognition.

Berne, Switzerland, April 23—Thirty persons were killed and fifty injured when the Zurich and Milan expresses collided near Bellinzona this morning.

Twenty-one bodies had been removed from the wreckage this afternoon, most of them burned beyond recognition.

MORAL: DO NOT TAKE VACATION

Los Angeles, April 23—Sidney Zinner is in the city jail charged with stealing a clothing store.

Max Cohen, proprietor of the establishment, asked police assistance yesterday when he returned from a week-end trip and found his store building vacant.

Officers discovered the contents at a freight depot about to be shipped to Cleveland. O. Zinger, who had been Cohen's clerk, was superintending the shipment, they said.

Senate Democrats Mobilize to Fight Mellon's Tax Rates

Jones Files Minority Report; Battle to Start Next Week, Indications Say.

Washington, April 23.—Declaration of the Democratic stand on the revenue bill set forth in the minority report of the finance committee filed yesterday in the senate by Senator Jones, Democrat, New Mexico, completed the preliminaries for the tax reduction fight expected to start next week.

The Democrats, in addition to waging a contest against the Mellon income tax rates, will seek modification of the corporation and estate taxes and public hearings for tax disputes.

DEMAND SPEED.

When the bonus bill was brought up last week it was promised that if the measure was not disposed of within a few days it would be set aside in favor of some appropriation bills.

The Democrats, the report showed, will demand the Simmons income tax schedule in place of the Mellon rates, modification of the forms of corporation and estate taxes, and opening of tax dispute hearings to the public.

CALLED UNSCIENTIFIC.

The report characterized the committee bill as "fundamentally defective and unscientific" and directed a particular assault on the Mellon income tax rates reinserted in the measure in lieu of the Longworth compromise schedule, adopted by the House.

In proposing the income tax plan of Senator Simmons, North Carolina, ranking Democratic on the committee, calling for higher surtaxes and lower normal rates than provided in the Mellon schedule, The minority disclaimed any purpose "to soak the rich," adding it "profoundly believes that invisible wealth, the prosperous, and those with real ability to pay should bear a greater share of the burdens of the government."

MAXIMUM TAX.

The Simmons Plan calls for a maximum surtax of 40 per cent applicable on incomes of $500,000. The Mellon maximum surtax would be 25 per cent on incomes of $100,000 and over; whereas the present law calls for a maximum surtax of 50 per cent on incomes of $200,000 and over.

Considerable support is anticipated for the Simmons Plan from Republican insurgents.

Referring to the reductions made in the excise taxes, the report declared all changes were made by the majority members while "the minority does not deem it necessary to take any other position in this brief report then one of general policy of disapproval of all special excise taxes originally imposed for raising war revenue."

INHERITENCE TAX.

As regards the estate tax, the Democrats declared in favor of an inheritence tax, thus shifting the tax from the estate itself before distribution to a direct tax on the beneficiaries, after deducting all estate and inheritence taxes imposed by states.

Declaring the flat tax of 14 per cent on corporation incomes "unjust and inequitable" the report declared this "wholly ignores the principle of a graduated tax in proportion to real ability to pay."

BONDS EXEMPT.

In connection with the corporation tax in the bill as reported, it was declared that corporations by purchases of federal bonds, $15,000,000,000 of which now are outstanding, could escape entirely the normal tax because the bonds are exempt.

"It would seem, therefore," the report added, "that before any one connected with the administration should denounce the issuance of tax exempt securities by states, he should first suggest such changes in the law as would permit the federal government to tax federal securities in accordance with the intent of the law which authorized their issuance."

Wets Point Out "Evils" Of Dry Law

House Committee Hears Attack On Volsteadism.

Washington, April 23. — Charges against the "evils of Volsteadism" were made before the house committee yesterday, proponents of the move to change the law in order to legalize the sale of light wines and beer presenting their side of the case.

OUTLINE EVILS.

A race of psychopaths and undermined youth, a breaking down of society, and the abolition of home influence—that's the future for America to look forward to under present evils of prohibition, witnesses ranging from noted psychiatrists to a member of the clergy told the house committee hearing on fifty-nine bills to modify Volsteadism.

First in the sequence of medical testimony on alcohol and insanity came Dr. James Whitney Hall, head of the Cook county (Chicago) lunacy commission.

"Insanity from alcoholism has increased 2,000 per cent in Cook county during prohibition," he told the committee.

HAS IT IN BLACK AND WHITE.

He read tables of figures showing the number of cases each year.

"That's from drinking poison hooch, moonshine and such, isn't it?" asked Congressman Yates (Rep., Ill., one of the chief drys of the committee.

"Why, congressman, you never heard of a man going insane from drinking good liquor, did you?" was the answer.

"The present situation is a national menace," Dr. Hall continued. "The saloon was terrible. Then we had the drunken bum. Now it's worse. We have the alcoholic psychiosis becoming a murderer, a robber. That's because prohibition has brought insanity-producing moonshine. Whisky must age five years. Moon doesn't age even five minutes."

BEER IS SOLUTION.

"The solution lies in turning from a whisky drinking nation to a beer drinking one," he answered a question by Representative Larsen (Rep., Minn.) "I never heard of beverage beer causing a mental or nervous disease."

He presented figures showing a 20 per cent increase in all insanity in forty-seven states in the last three years, against a stationary level prior to prohibition.

YOUTH IS GOING TO HELL.

"Before prohibition alcoholic insanity cases came in persons whose age averaged from 39 to 45," he said. "Today the average age is 22 to 28. That is the real danger—undermining the younger generation, for it is our future. Give the nation harmless, low content beer, light wines, and it will, in time, do away with poisonous hooch."

And then came the Rev. Roland Sawyer, pastor of the Ware, Mass., Congregational church, fully attired in the cloth of his profession.

"Prohibition—as at present—has wiped out 80 years of work toward temperance," he said. "It is not the eighteenth amendment we quarrel with, it is the Volstead enforcement act. It is unenforceable. It is popular. It is wrong ethically, morally, and socially.

"It is to help the 18th amendment, to give it a chance, that we seek a sensible and just enforcement act.

CHICAGO SUBURBS TO CHANGE CLOCKS

Waukegan, Ill., April 23—North Chicago, Zion and Waukegan last night passed ordinances adopting daylight savings time during the summer, to be effective beginning April 27.

SON OF FORMER PREMIER IN DUEL

Naples, April 23—Vincenzo Nitti, son of former Premier Nitti, was wounded in the right arm in a duel with swords resulting from the publication of an article in the Fascist newspapers which Nitti considered insulting.

ST. LOUIS BUILDING TOTALS $40,000,000

St. Louis, April 23.—The value of building operations in this city for the fiscal year ending April 1 amounted to $40,002,821, a gain of $9,028,962 over the previous year.

The Weather

Chicago, April 23 19—Following are the weather indications for Illinois:

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday; warmer tonight and in south portion Thursday.

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Dewitt, United States weather observer:

7 a. m.	[illegible]
12 m.	[illegible]
6 p. m.	[illegible]
Highest	[illegible]
Lowest	[illegible]
Mean	[illegible]
Sun rises (standard time)	[illegible]
Sun sets	[illegible]

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, April 23.—Illinois: Northwest, 32 to 40, cloudy; Springfield, 40; Quincy, 38.

Northwest, 32 to [illegible] clear; West, 40 to [illegible] partly cloudy; [illegible] to 42; Dubuque [illegible]; Southwest, 40 to 50, part cloudy.

Ohio Valley, 34 to 42, part cloudy; Cincinnati, 40.

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GROTTO VAUDEVILLE PLEASES CROWD

Great Variety of Acts Offered.

A well filled house saw the Zolnak Grotto's vaudeville show and band concert Tuesday night in the High school auditorium and judging from their applause, enjoyed every one of the variously assorted numbers presented for their amusement and entertainment.

The show was distinguished by the several dance numbers all of which were arranged and directed by the Misses Grace and Gladys Bowman, who also planned the costumes for the acts.

DANCE BY LITTLE TOTS.

A dance executed by tiny tots of from four to six years of age was delightful, particularly the toe dance numbers by Betty Clendening and Charlotte Deuz.

The mannikin dance and the jumping jack dance with the tambourine and cane girl's dances worked in made up the main group of numbers. Individual features were specialty dances which included "Shuffles and Taps," by John Kyle, "Sequidilla" by Maria Jones, "Trepak," by Helen Comer, an eccentric duet dance by Norma Walker and Pauline Drummitt and Dorothy Frances Davis in a toe dance specialty.

BLACKFACE COMEDY.

The blackface comedy act by Byrd Dews junior and senior was very good and a musical number by Curtis Rusher, Clif Morrow and Harry Barber was also very good. The Grotto band in full uniform opened the show with a thirty-minute concert.

JASPER FATHERS TO MEET TONIGHT

Planning Carnival to Be Given in May.

All members of the Jasper school Fathers' club are urged to attend a meeting at 7:30 Wednesday evening. The men are planning a carnival to be held some time in May and definite arrangements will be made at this meeting at which time the date also will be set. The men are doing something out of the ordinary this year in staging the carnival outdoors.

The club also will hear a report from the second showing of the play.

Hair Grown or No Money

Notice the Van Ess flexible rubber nozzle on the cap on the bottle. You rub the bottle over your head and the rubber nozzle feed the hair growing medicine into the scalp. One minute a day in your own home with Van Ess Liquid Scalp Massage means an abundance of new hair and the gloss and luster that comes with perfect hair health. Ask us about the 90-day treatment plan. We sell it under money-back guarantee.

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ACROSS FROM THE REVIEW

WORKING WOMEN TO BE ADMITTED TO COURT OF ENGLAND

London, April 27.—King George has just taken the biggest step in history towards the democratization of the Court of St. James. Following the alteration of the regulations as recommended by the court chamberlain, women of the working classes can henceforth be presented at court.

Heretofore the husband or father of a woman presented had to have high social standing conferred by university education, a commission in one of the armed forces, a parliamentary seat, or important family connections. This rule absolutely barred women of the working classes. The only exception to the rule was afforded in the case of ladies presented to the king and queen by the wives of ambassadors whose selection of foreign visitors for presentation was never questioned.

The king has now conferred on the wives of cabinet ministers the privilege hitherto reserved for wives of ambassadors. As a consequence any labor minister's wife will be able to present friends drawn from the artisan class or trade union officialdom.

"Captain Racket." The second performance netted the club about $100.

LEVI C. GADDIS DIES AT AGE 60

With Decatur Lumber and Manufacturing Company 36 Years.

Levi C. Gaddis of the Decatur Lumber and Manufacturing company died at 7:15 o'clock Tuesday night at the family residence, 1620 North Broadway. He would have been sixty years old in June. His death was due to high blood pressure. He had been ill for some time and for three weeks had been confined to his bed.

Mr. Gaddis was born in Clinton county, Ohio, Jan 2, 1864. He came to Decatur in 1888 and for the last thirty-six years had been connected with the Decatur Lumber and Manufacturing company. He was a member of the First Methodist church. He was widely known in Decatur and surrounding country and had many friends. He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Edna Gaddis, and two adopted children—Mrs. Jack Willis and Mrs. Kathryn Byers, both of Decatur. He also leaves two brothers, W. G. Gaddis and Laska Gaddis, and a sister, Mrs. Willis Mills, all of Decatur. The body was removed to the Monson undertaking establishment and prepared for burial.

The funeral will be held at three o'clock Thursday afternoon at the First Methodist church. The burial will be in Fairlawn cemetery.

MRS. GOLDIE SHUMATE.

Mrs. Goldie Shumate died at 3:15 Wednesday morning, at 1724 East Eldorado. Her death was caused by complication of diseases and followed an illness of several months.

Goldie M. Thompson was born Sept. 16, 1877, in Ross county, Ohio. She came to Illinois when a girl and made her home with her uncle, Ed Smith, who lived near Long Creek.

She was married to George R. Shumate Jan. 6, 1897, and with the exception of the last two months, had spent most of her life in and near Long Creek.

She leaves her husband and two daughters, Mrs. Iva Winings and Miss Doris Shumate, both of Decatur. Two other children died in infancy. She also leaves one grandchild.

Mrs. Shumate was a member of the Long Creek Methodist church.

RADIO PROGRAMS

(Decatur Time)

CHICAGO STATIONS.

6 to 6:30—KYW (536), Spanish lessons Prof. A. A. Brasch.
6:15 to 8:15—WTAY (263). Concert.
6:45 to 7—WLS (345). Orchestra.
6:45—KYW (536). Uncle Bob's stories for children.
7 to 8—WGN (370). Dinner hour concert.
7—WMAQ (447). Georgene Faulkner.
7 to 7:30—KFW (360). Congress hotel orchestras.
7 to 8:45—WDAP (389). Drake concert ensemble; Blackstone string quintet.
7 to 8—WLS (345). Talks; music.
7:30—WMAQ (447). Northwestern university lecture.
8—WMAQ (447). Shakespearean birthday program, students Kenwood school.
8 to 9—KYW (536). Margaret Norum, soprano; Frank D. Greif, tenor; Tripoli trio; Elsie Clement and Sallie Menkes, pianists.
8:30—WMAQ (447). Girls' week program.
8:45—WMAQ (447). La Salle orchestra.
9 to 11—WGN (370). Musical program.
9—KYW (536). "Good Road" talk, "The Influence of the Clean-up and Paint-up Campaign Upon Our National Life," Howard Elting; book review.
9—WMAQ (447). Chicago charities.
9:15—WMAQ (447). De Paul University School of Music.
10 to 12—WDAP (389). John Stamford, tenor; Barton organ recital; Jack Chapman's orchestra.
10 to 2 a. m.—KYW (536). Midnight revue, artists to be announced.
12 to 3 a. m.—WGN (370). Weekly news review and entertainment for Capt. MacMillan and crew.

OUTSIDE STATIONS.

Silent night for WGY, Schenectady; WRC, Washington; WMC, Memphis; WCX, Detroit; WFAA, Dallas; WOAW, Omaha; KFAF, Denver; KGO, Oakland.
6—WCX (517), Detroit. Concert.
6:30—KSD (546), St. Louis. Aberg's concert ensemble.
7 to 8—WHB (411), Kansas City. Talks; orchestra.
7—WTAM (390), Cleveland. Concert. Reports of San Antonio, Tex.
7 to 8:30—WGAZ (360), South Bend. Big Five orchestra.
7—WOC (484), Davenport. "Beautifying the Home Grounds."
7—WCK (360), St. Louis. Address; musical program.
7 to 8—WHB (411), Kansas City. Orchestra and soloists.
7:30 to 8:30—WEAF (492), New York. (Joint with WCAP; 469, Washington), United States Marine band.
7:30—CHYC (341), Ottawa. Musical program; address.
7:30—KDKA (326), Pittsburgh. Special features.
7:30—WCAE (462), Pittsburgh. Musical program.
7:30—WOO (508), Philadelphia. Grand organ recital, Mary E. Vogt.
7:30—WWJ (517), Detroit. Orchestra; soloists.
7:30 to 9—WHAS (400), Louisville. Talks, musical program.
7:30 to 8:30—WBAP (476), Fort Worth. True's True Tone orchestra.
7:30—KFMX (360), Northfield, Minn. Organ recital.
7:30—KFNF (360), Shenandoah, Ia. Musical program.
7:30 to 9:30—WHN, New York. Concert.
8 to 10—PWX (500), Havana, Cuba. Cuban Army Staff band.
8—WOO (508), Philadelphia. Orchestra and soloists.
8—WLW (428), Cincinnati. Shrine band.
8 to 9:30—WOR (405), Newark. Classical concert, vocal and instrumental.
8 to 9—KQV (370), Pittsburgh. Artists' program.
8—WGR (319), Buffalo. Concert.
8 to 9—WOC (484), Davenport. Presbyterian church orchestra.
8—WEAF (491), Kansas City. Concert.
8 to 9—KPRC (326), Harlem Springs, Mich. Address; musical program.
8:15—WEZ (456), New York. St. George society dinner.
8:30 to 9:30—WEAF (492), New York. "Chicle" orchestra.
8:30 to 10—WTAM (390), Elyria. Popular musical program.
8:45 to 10—WOR (405), Newark. Concert program; dance orchestra.
9—KSD (546), St. Louis. Program by alumni of Washington university.
9 to 1 a. m.—KPO (462), San Francisco. Dance orchestra.
9:00—WOO (508), Philadelphia. Dance.
9:15—WDAR (395), Philadelphia. Musical entertainment.
9:30—WEZ (456), New York. Orchestra.
9:30 to 10—WOR (405), Newark. Gotham entertainers.
9:00 to 10:45—WBAP (476), Fort Worth. Program to be announced.
10—WGR (319), Buffalo. Dance.
10 to 12—KHJ (396), Los Angeles. Talks and orchestra.
10:30—KFOA (455), Seattle. Concert.
10:45—WSB (429), Atlanta. Rainbow dance orchestra.
11—KSD (536), St. Louis. Dance orchestra.
11:45—WDAF (411), Kansas City. Nighthawk frolic.
12—KGW (492), Portland. Dance.
12 to 3 a. m.—KFI (469), Los Angeles. Dance orchestra.

ALLENVILLE.

Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Carnine and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Carnine spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hogue of Windsor.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Brooks of Urbana spent Sunday with Mrs. F. D. Preston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Cannon and daughter Eleanor of Mattoon and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Meisinheimer and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wareing.

Mrs. Alma Spaugh of Sullivan spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. Mary Knott.

Mrs. Cloe Rairdan of Lerna spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. A. W. Sutton.

Harley Jenkins, who is employed on a farm near Bethany, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jenkins.

Gus Lyons of Terre Haute, Ind. was a caller here Tuesday.

Miss Gladys Leeds of Champaign spent last week with relatives and friends here.

Miss Marguerite Neville of Sullivan spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Le Grand.

Miss Daisy McCabe of Evansville, Ind., is visiting her mother Mrs. B. McCabe.

O. C. Mattox was in Sullivan Monday.

Rev. H. B. Pollick of Decatur has resigned his pastorate at the Methodist church here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Burtchard spent Saturday in Mattoon.

Mrs. W. H. Lee of Sullivan was a visitor here Monday afternoon.

There is Sunday school every Sunday at both the Methodist and Christian churches, beginning at 10 a. m.

DOES YOUR SKIN ITCH OR BURN? —USE POSLAM

You need not suffer another hour with that tormenting, sleep-destroying skin eruption! Get Poslam at your druggist's—only 50c. It is so CONCENTRATED, yet gentle, that itching and burning stop instantly and the sore, raw skin is soon well again. Try Poslam today!

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STRAWBERRIES—

Pint Box 23c
Two Boxes for 45c

Extra Fine Grape Fruit, two for 15c
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3 bunches Green Onions for 10c

A 25c can Red Raspberries	15c	1 can Paradise Pineapple	25c
1 large can Peaches	20c	1 large can Hominy	9c
1 large can Apricots	20c	1 large can Kraut	13c
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1 large can Na-Gro-Co Pineapple	34c	A 10-cent bar Carpo Soap, 6 for	25c

Lawn Mowers

Our lawn mowers are unequalled for quality of material, accuracy of construction and artistic finish. Every mower sold with a guarantee to give satisfaction in every particular.

The Speedwell
The only lawn Mower with self-adjusting Timken roller bearings, the finest bearing for a lawn mower ever produced. 16 and 18 inch.
$20.00 and $21.00

The Fonden
Self-adjusting, ball bearing drive wheel, and made with special interlocking frame. Fully guaranteed. Four sizes.
$16.50, $17.50, $18.50, $19.50

The Director
A double geared mower perfectly fitted, all ball-bearing parts automatically adjusted and one of the easiest running machines on the market. Three sizes.
$11.00, $11.50, $12.00

The Pennsylvania
Self-sharpening tool steel blades, finest workmanship, sturdy construction, cleanest cutting, easiest running, longest lasting mower you can buy. Three sizes.
$27.00, $31.00, $34.00.

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A strictly high grade mower, accurately fitted and adjusted throughout and has self-adjusting ball bearings. Three sizes.
$12.50, $13.00, $13.50.

The Fairmont
A beautiful machine, very graceful in appearance, light and easy running. Quality and workmanship first class. Two sizes.
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Grass O'lch'rs $1.00 TO $2.50

THE TROJAN
Guaranted to be the most attractive low priced mower on the market. Light in weight, yet strongly constructed. Two sizes.
$7.50 and $8.00

GARDEN HOSE
12½c—15c—17c PER FOOT

Hose Reels $2.00 AND $3.00

Morehouse & Wells Co.

"The Best Grade For The Best Trade"

Appetite Gone?

A tempting, delicious looking meal—all the choicest morsels from a well stocked pantry. The fragrant aroma of all those good things failing to put a keen edge on your appetite—failing to arouse, in any degree, a hearty relish for the food so attractively placed before you. Why?

Scores of men and women are faced with the same misfortune. After a day of toil—when they are tired—when good things to eat should be certainly sought to recharge their vitality and fit them for play time—their stomachs turn. They are worn down, played out. Food has no appeal. To them it is nauseating. The aroma of appetizing things passepiece them.

Red blood cells are missing. Red blood which should be coursing through your veins strengthening your vitality—adding to your strength—keeping you healthy and able to get in to hard.

S. S. S. is what is needed. Your blood needs purifying. What use is an automobile without gas, a battery? What advantage is a dynamo without electricity? Your body is a human dynamo. Your blood cells supply the energy which keeps your body well and fit. Weakened blood cells make you like the storage battery with dry cells—power is lacking—energy gone—productive qualities at the lowest ebb. S. S. S. supplies the red blood cells—the spark that recharges your system.

Mr. James Chaloupka, Sherman School, Chillicothe, Ohio, writes:

"I feel like a new man after taking S. S. S. It gave me a better appetite and cleared my skin of pimples and blackheads."

Carefully selected, scientifically proportioned and prepared herbs and barks make up S. S. S.—the great blood purifier. Give nature a helping hand. Get back the lost appetite—the missing vitality—the keen, sparkling eyes—that look of determination. The best way to start back over the road to well being is with S. S. S. Nerves will become stronger. S. S. S. will give you more energy, vitality and vigor, and a more "up and going" appearance.

S. S. S. is sold at all leading drug stores. Try a bottle and see for yourself. The large size bottle is more economical. Get one today.

S.S.S. Makes You Feel Like Yourself Again

Standard Sewing Machines, One-Half Price

WILLIAM GUSHARD COMPANY

Beginning Thursday! Beautiful Bucilla

Stamped Porch Dresses 79c

BEAUTIFUL porch and neighborhood dresses of fine, fast color Beach cloth, stamped in beautiful patterns for lazy daisy, French knot and cross stitch embroidery, are radically reduced to 79c each in this great sale, beginning Thursday.

—There are seven charming styles, with V, round and square necks, in seven pretty colors, rose, honey dew, brown, tangerine, peach, blue and lavender. Each style is decidedly smart, and the dresses are all well made and perfectly finished. Every woman will know that they are really extraordinary values at 79c each.

—The sale is for three days, beginning on Thursday. However, early selection is advised for best choice.

$2.75 Stamped Spreads, $1.95

—Beautiful bed spreads of finest unbleached muslin, stamped in lovely patterns for French knot and lazy daisy embroidery, are in this sale for Thursday, Friday and Saturday at a very low price. They are large size, 91x100 inch spreads, regularly priced $2.75. Special, $1.95 each.

ART DEPARTMENT: FIRST FLOOR

Finer Rugs At Lowest Prices

REALLY good rugs — rugs that will give years and years of service, rugs that you will be proud to own, may be chosen here at prices that make them values out of the ordinary.

9x12 Worsted Wilton Rugs, $107.50

—Soft and thick, yet closely woven and very durable, these fine all worsted Wilton rugs are very splendid values at $107.50. There are many patterns and color combinations. Ends are finished with linen fringe.

9x12 Wilton Velvet Rugs, $52.50

—These are Seamless Wilton Velvets, woven in one artistic piece, with ends fringed. They are in Chinese and Persian patterns and their soft colors seem to harmonize with everything. 9x12 ft., $52.50.

Fine Axminster Rugs, Priced $59.75

—Axminster rugs of the finest quality, with the deep, rich surface of the best Axminster weaves, are low priced at $59.75. Tan, taupe, rose and blue are combined in many new patterns. 9x12 ft. size.

9x12 Axminster Rugs Priced $37.50

—Closely woven Axminster rugs of durable quality, in new patterns and color combinations, are very specially priced at $37.50. Where service is the chief requirement, these rugs are certain to please.

FIFTH FLOOR

Special! "Willow Loom"

Night Gowns $1.95

OF soft, sheer, white "Willow Loom" cloth, daintily trimmed with hand made laces, these charming night gowns in slip-over style are notable values at $1.95. Sizes 15, 16, 17.

SECOND FLOOR

Cedar Bags

For Summer Storage

CEDAR Bags are ideal for summer and winter storage, for they protect garments and other treasured things from moth and dust. Low priced.

24x37 inch bags priced $1.60
30x50 inch bags priced $1.85
30x60 inch bags priced $2.05
30x70 inch bags priced $2.30
Large folding chests at $3.50

SECOND FLOOR

Curtains and Drapes

For Every Requirement

ALL the pretty curtains and curtain fabrics that one can use to make the home an attractive place in summer are to be seen in the assortments assembled here—and our advisors will be delighted to help you plan your hangings to make the most of your opportunities for tasteful decoration.

—Ruffle curtains of white voile are $1 a pair.

—Charming ruffle curtains of white marquisette, $1.19 pair.

—Ruffle curtains of dotted marquisette are $1.95 a pair.

—Sheer dotted marquisette, 36 inches wide, 35c a yard.

—Quaker curtain nets in new, lovely patterns, 75c a yard.

FIFTH FLOOR

Special! $45 to $59.50 Value

New Tailored Suits $29.50

THESE are sample suits, purchased from a well known manufacturer at a price far lower than usual, making possible the sale at $29.50 of suits made to sell at prices ranging from $45 to $59.50.

—They are suits in the smartest tailored styles, new and straight of line, smart in every detail, fashioned of men's wear worsteds, tweeds, camel's hair, twills and flannels. The colors and patterns are new, and many tailored and semi-tailored styles are in the collection, so every miss and woman who wears size 14, 16 or 18 will find many smart models. Regular prices range from $45 to $59.50—special now at $29.50.

Satin Pumps $7.50

THE style pictured, fashioned of satin or patent leather, is an excellent value at $7.50. In grey suede at $9.

NewspaperARCHIVE®

850 Men and 200 Teams Working on Hard Roads

Ten Mixers Started Last Week, Expect 100 Soon; To Use 10,000 Men.

Eight hundred and fifty men with 200 teams started work upon 1,000 miles of hard surface roads which Illinois plans to build during the summer, according to the first weekly report made by the Division of Highways for the week ending April 17.

A total of 4.10 miles of road has been built by the State this season. Last week was the real beginning of activities which are expected to increase by leaps and bounds during the next few weeks, until a force of nearly 10,000 men will be laying concrete pavement at the rate of approximately 50 miles per week during the favorable summer months.

TEN MIXERS GOING.

Ten mixers started work last week. More than 100 are expected to be busy within a short time, when contractors in all parts of the state, the north as well as the south, start the drive toward the 1,000 mile goal set by the state for the season of 1921.

Of the 4.10 miles of road built this year, 2.55 miles is concrete pavement and 1.55 is gravel. The 2.05 miles of concrete was laid last week when the first favorable weather made its appearance in the southern and central parts of the state.

NO NORTHERN WORK.

It will be noted from the report that none of the pavement so far this season was constructed in districts 1, 2, 3, and 4, which comprise the northern part of the state. The weather in those sections prevented an early beginning of hard road work, but activities will start immediately wherever roads are already under contract and it will be interesting to note the increase in mileage each week until construction reaches the peak the latter part of the summer.

Contractors are on the ground with machinery and material in all districts and forces of men and equipment which broke the world's record for the building of highways last year, are being mobilized to set a new mark this season according to highway officials.

The work done so far this season is distributed over five districts as follows: Dist. 5, .24 miles; Dist. 6, .48; Dist. 7, .15 miles; Dist 8, .60 miles; Dist. 9, 1.08 miles.

The early beginning of work has depended upon weather conditions in different sections of the state.

TRY SAFETY DEVICE.

Protect Curve at Illiopolis With Life Net.

A new highway safety device which works on the principle of the aerial life net in preventing automobiles from plunging over curves, embankments, and bridge-sides, has been installed under auspices of the Illinois State Highway Dept. at the dangerous curve on the State Bond Issue Road No. 10, one-half mile west of Illiopolis. In an effort to cut down the large number of accidents there, and at the same time to test the appliance.

Fifty-four recorded accidents have occurred on the curve in the last year, and Highway Policeman Wilson is authority for a statement that there have been sixty-one in a little less than a year. An employe of of the highway department recently went through the battered wooden rail that previously was the only warning at the place, and his wife was badly injured.

ELASTIC GUARD.

The new device is known as "Hi-Way Guard" and is comprised of a white ribbon two feet wide of "linked" or "fabricated" heavy wire, strong enough, according to tests in other states, to stop the average sized car going as high as 40 miles an hour. At the same time it is so fabricated that it stops a plunging machine by the elasticity of its fabric without destructive impact.

The guard was recently invented by W. T. Kyle, general manager of the Page Steel & Wire Co., to replace wooden rails, cables, and stone walls as bridge, curve, and embankment guards. The installation of 60 feet near Illiopolis was put up under the direction of Donald Trees, acting for W. H. O'Neall of the W. Q. O'Neall Co., of Crawfordsville, Ind.

The curve is at a rail crossing at the end of a stretch of smooth highway. The average motorist cannot tell that he is in danger until he is right upon the turn. The installation is among the initial ones in the United States. The guard has been approved by the Bureau of Public Roads, Washington, D. C.

PERGEN RELIEVED HIS KIDNEY ILLS

"Since taking Pergen I feel like a new man. When I started to take Pergen I was suffering with my kidneys. I had an almost constant pain in my back. I felt tired and draggy. Sometimes I was just dead on my feet.

"I often had dizzy spells and would have to catch on to something to keep from falling flat on my face. After eating the plainest kind of food I would have indigestion.

"I didn't seem to be able to find anything to help me. I tried several different kinds of treatments and medicines but I might just as well have saved my money for all the good they did me. If I ate anything like cake or pie I was sure to have indigestion. But I feel good now and I can eat anything I want.

"I don't tire easily. My kidneys are working alright. I'm not compelled to get out of bed several times every night on account of kidney action."

(Signed) E. J. Macafle,
R. R. No. 9,
Decatur, Ill.

Pergen has relieved hundreds of Decatur people of gas on the stomach, heartburn, bloated feelings, sour stomach, sick headaches, nervousness, pains in the back and habitual constipation. Why not you?

Pergen is sold in Decatur only at the Decatur Drug Co. It may also be obtained at one leading drug store in every nearby town which may be known by a Pergen sign.

SELECT PUPILS FOR TABLEAUX

To Take Part in School Pageant May 16.

A student from each of the ward schools has been chosen to appear in the tableau at the south end of the field at the Pageant of Nations to be presented May 16 in Fairview Park. The pageant is under the direction of Miss Hannah Gevirtz. The students and the symbolic figures they will portray are as follows:

French—(First Circle)) "Columbia"—Jeanette McDeed.

Jasper — (Second Circle) "Uncle Sam"—Paul Kitch.

Pugh—(Third Circle) "Education"—Josephine Witts.

Gastman— (Fourth Circle) "Progress"—Bernicece Ridgley.

Dennis—(Fifth Circle) "Civilization"—Sarah Jane Baker.

Oglesby—(Sixth Circle) "Faith" —Grace Current.

Ullrich (Seventh Circle) "Hope"—Leotha Beason.

Rouch—(Eighth Circle) "Charity"—Dorothy Sadler.

Jackson (Ninth Circle) "Loyalty"—Gladys Hallowell.

Riverside (Tenth Circle) "Sympathy"—Mildred Mills.

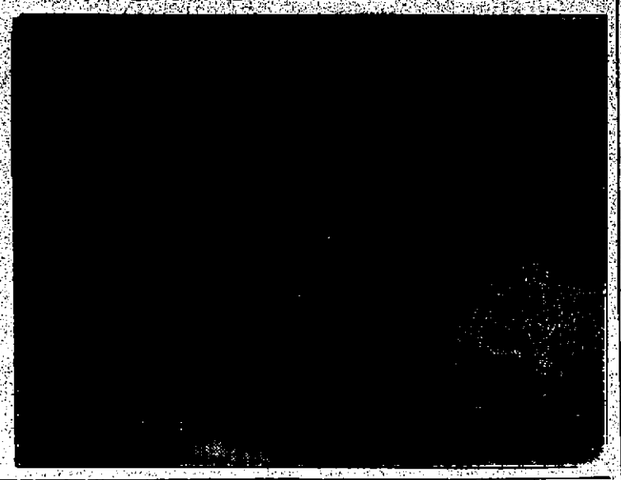
Warren (Eleventh Circle) "Love"—Wilma Burwell.

Oakland Twelfth Circle) "Truth"—Selema Hunt.

Durfee (Thirteenth Circle) "Justice"—Fern Anderson.

Lincoln (Fourteenth Circle)" Peace"—Mary Louise Neece.

TEST NEW GUARD RAIL



MUCH INTEREST IN HOSPITAL CLINICS

Demonstration of Ethylene Gas Given.

As to program and attendance, clinic day at the Decatur and Macon County hospital is considered a great success. The program was excellent, bringing out much discussion among the physicians. Physicians from all over this section of the state attended and evinced much interest in the clinic, which was the largest ever put on by the Decatur Medical society.

Much interest was taken in the demonstration of ethylene gas, a new anesthetic, given by Dr. G. McCurdy of Chicago who put several persons under the influence of this gas. It was pointed out that it puts the patient to sleep much more quickly than other anesthetics, causes more complete relaxation and has less dangerous after-effects. This demonstration was one of the important features of the day.

20 DIABETIC OBSERVERS.

Another feature of great interest was the diabetes clinic. Fully twenty persons who are patients attended the clinic to gain what benefit could be derived from the discussion. A fourteen year old boy was present who owes his life to insulin. A Decatur man, a patient, demonstrated a chart he has worked out for his own diet which physicians declare to be valuable for its thoroughness.

A paper by Dr. William Edler of St. Louis caused much discussion. It was read during the dinner hour in the Decatur club. Dr. Edler took the stand that more attention should be given the patients with imaginary ills—ills which to them are as real as though they were actual. He stated that the great following which the many "cults" have acquired has come about through the physicians neglect of the imaginary diseases. He says the people should know what scientific medicine is doing and can do for these cases.

DISCUSS CLINICS.

Dr. Carter of Clinton, Dr. Appell of Tolono, Dr. McClelland of Beason, Dr. Slater of Hindsboro and Dr. May of Mt. Zion all discussed the clinics of the day, taking them up from the standpoint of their helpfulness to the physician and the equipment of the Decatur hospitals for such clinics. It is quite probable that two such clinics will be held each year in the future, a possibility usually available for only such cities much larger than Decatur.

The anesthetizing machine used by Dr. McCurdy in his demonstration is made in Decatur by the Decatur Brass Works, for the Safety Anesthetic company of Chicago.

HEAVY DAMAGE BY RESIDENCE FIRES

Joe Bartlett Home Practically Destroyed.

The home of Joe Bartlett, 1384 West Forest avenue, was almost destroyed by fire shortly before six o'clock Tuesday evening and the homes of C. S. Hoffman and C. O. Sanks, on either side of the Bartlett home, were rather badly damaged.

The damage probably will be $5,000 or more, of which fully $3,000 loss is on the Bartlett home. This was a six-room modern story and one-half house. The blaze, believed to be due to defective wiring, burned off the entire top down to the ceiling of the first floor. Much damage was also done by water to the plaster and rest of the house on the first floor.

NEIGHBORS' HOME SCORCHED.

The neighbors' homes were badly scorched and caught fire, the roofs and sides being rather badly damaged. Members of the Bartlett family were away from home at the time. It is believed that the fire had a very good start and the interior seemed all ablaze before the fire came through the roof. When the firemen arrived, the roof was a solid mass of flames. The losses are said to be pretty well covered by insurance.

While the firemen from some of the houses were fighting this fire, other fire apparatus was called to the residence of Mrs. E. L. Williams, 332 East Marietta street, to extinguish a small roof blaze.

Northwest Unit.

The Northwest unit of the Home Bureau will have an all day meeting Thursday in the home of Mrs. P. R. Sullivan, West Grand avenue. A pot luck luncheon will be served at noon. In the afternoon the women will be instructed in the art of basket making and each woman is asked to bring material for the kind of a basket she wishes to make. A fee of twenty-five cents will be charged for this work and any woman who does not wish to bring a dish for the luncheon also will be assessed twenty-five cents.

GIVE WHISTLES TO POLICE OFFICERS

Come From Los Angeles Company.

The Dick Harris Whistle company of Los Angeles, Cal., has presented each member of the Decatur department with a police whistle. They have a loud tone, easily recognized, no matter how many other noises are in the air. Many people think that a police whistle is more effective than a gun, for the fact that it not only frightens a burglar or an assailant, but summons the nearest officer at the same time. For this reason many people in private life buy the whistles.

109 RURAL PUPILS GO ON HONOR ROLL

Received Average of 90 or Better in Exam.

17 IN TENTH GRADE

Other 92 Come from Eighth Grade.

One hundred and nine Macon county pupils taking the final examinations have had their names placed on the honor roll. Seventeen of these were in the Tenth grade and ninety-two were in the Eighth grade.

Each pupil whose name appears on the honor roll made an average of 90 or better in the final examinations. The list is as follows:

TENTH GRADE.

Glen Barnett, Bois D'Arc school.
Kenneth Barnett, Bois D'Arc.
Thelma Crowl, Boody.
Edith Fulk, Pleasant Valley.
Mildred Fulk, Hess.
Virginia Hartwig, Enterprise.
Lena Heckman, Hess.
Clara Higgins, Pleasant Grove.
Edna Holdernese, Major.
Franklin Long, Prairie Chapel.
Marguerite Malloy, Berry.
Edith Milnes, Pleasant Valley.
Winifred Smith, Sangamon.
Fayme Warnick, Peru.
Oca May Wheeler, Sangamon.
Earl Wise, Ocean Wave.
Clara Young, Middlesworth.

EIGHTH GRADE.

Merle Adcock, White Hall.
Ruth Augustine, Enterprise.
Mabel Austin, Pleasant View No.
Helen Barry, Schrear.
Helen Bernard, Dingman.
Birdie Brady, Enterprise.
Ethel Bruce, E. Stringtown.
Dorothy Blazer, Forsyth.
Virginia Benton, Forsyth.
Barbaria Ann Bailey, Forsyth.
Clyde Burgener, Walker.
Helen Bower, Excelsior So.
Mildred Bopp, Charitan.
Evea L. Brooks, Upper Ridge.
Carl Boneham, Oreana.
Clifton Barclay, Mound.
George Blickensderfer, Peck.
Velma Buchter, Pleasant So. View.
Leotta Cundiff, Miller.
Myrtle Cox, Blue Door.
Leon Cassity, Independence.
Leatha Carl, Mt. Zion.
Jessie N. Cottle, Lincoln.
Mildred Cripe, Peck.
Dorothy Dennis, Berry.
June Damery, Lincoln.
Jane Dickinson, Oak Ridge.
Helen Emrick, Schrear.
Paul Ellis, Turner.
Ward Friesner, Sulphur Springs.
Helen Gulick, Childs.
Opal P. Gemmer, Lincoln.
Mary Gates, Oak Grove.
Frances Gereau, White.
Raymond Gereau, White.
Burton Gulick, Prairie Center
Lloyd Hiser, Berry.
Florence Heiserman, Mt. Zion.
William Hooper, Mt. Zion.
Mildred Higgings, Pleasant Grove.
Marjorie Hilgenber, Enterprise.
Mazrian Hastings, Center Ridge.
Velma Huff, Berry.
Ruth N. Jocklsch, Lincoln.
Laura Johnson, Burkey.
Ruth E. Kizer, Dingman.
Ida Laughlin, Blue Door.
Donald Logan, Mt. Zion.
Cary Leonard, Westfield.
Oleta Lane, Fair Play.
Mary Lanckton, Mt. Pleasant
Blanche Lovedy, Turner.
Charles Montgomery, Mogleor.
Dorothy McGaughey, Mt. Zion.
Dorothea McNeal, Milam Center.
Donald Morr, Peck.
Mary Milnes, Pleasant Valley.
Lucy Moore, Mt. Zion.
Noel K. Moore, Elwin.
Beulah Morgenthaler, Oreana.
Velma McConnell, Fairview.
Isabele Noe, Boiling Springs.
George Nickey, Oakley.
Fay Oliver, Casner.
Robert Oberline, Walnut Grove.
Edith Query, American.
Elta Roney, Excelsior No.
Frances Roney, Excelsior No.
Vernelle Reed, Center Ridge.
Leroy Rector, Renshaw.
Gertrude Rettke, Fairview.
Helen Ragsdale, Oreana.
Evelyn Sutherland, Burkey.
Wayne Smith, Walnut Grove.
Ray M. Scott, Nevada.
Elizabeth Sawyer, Independence.
Dorothy Shinoske, Enterprise.
Louise Schultz, Pleasant Valley.
Audrey Sidener, Belle Prairie.
Kermit Smith, Harmony No.
Forrest Swartz, Flood.
Irene Sheehan, Enterprise.
Paul Stuteman, Walnut Grove Coll.
Ivan Trulock, Prairie Vale.
Iona Totten, Monitor.
George Veech, Bois D'Arc.
Lucelle Veech, Bois D'Arc.
Harold Vaughn, Warrensburg.
Ralph Westerman, Fairview.
Lucelle Wilson, Mt. Zion.
Mary Ruth Wade, American.
Geneva Williams, Boody.
Lucelle Zimmerman, Nevada.

Charges Assault.

James Hamm, 1466 East Locust street, was arrested Tuesday evening on complaint of Alta Hamm, who charged him with assault in both city and state warrants. Mr. Hamm was locked up.

Long Creek Jitney Supper.

The Long Creek Home Bureau unit will give a jitney supper, Thursday evening, April 24, in the Long Creek church. Serving will begin at 6:30. It will be a chicken pie supper, with other good things. The Long Creek church is just two mile off the hard road.

PLACE ASSESSOR ON FULL TIME

Township Board Fixes Salary at $2,400.

NO OPPOSITION

Asks to Be Placed On Board of Review.

Beginning at once, or by May 1, the assessor for Decatur township will be a full-time assessor at a salary of $2,400 a year, following unanimous action by the town board at a special meeting held in the office of the town clerk in the 100 block East Main street Tuesday afternoon.

Coleman Adams, the present assessor, who has been working under a holdover salary plan of last year until some action was taken on the subject this year, will now begin to draw a salary based on the new order while figuring his compensation up to this time for this year at the per diem rate that he received in 1920.

FULL BOARD PRESENT.

The full town board consisting of Ralph Tenney, supervisor, Charles Stough, clerk, and Justices John Lloyd, H. C. Noble, J. E. Saxton, S. T. Keeler and R. E. Dickinson were present when the subject was discussed.

Coleman Adams, the assessor, was also present to answer questions about the duties and expenses of the office as was also Byron Merris, attorney for the township.

WORKS NINE MONTHS NOW.

Mr. Adams said that he drew between $1,900 and $2,000 last year on the part time basis, putting in about nine months on the assessor's work.

He believed that the saving in clerk costs would more than make up for the additional salary paid to the assessor for full time.

Supervisor Ralph Tenney was frankly in favor of making the change to a full time official and Justice Lloyd said that if the change is made there should be a permanent office where the assessor could be found at all times by property owners. The need for a full time official was gone into at considerable detail, particularly the need at this time with the many additions and subdivisions which are being made as property is put on the market.

ON BOARD OF REVIEW.

Mr. Adams also spoke of the need of the assessor being on the board of review for the technical knowledge that he has of property values. Mr. Lloyd told of one city township where the assessor had been made a full time official and had also been made a member of the board of review.

The maximum salary permitted by the law for a full time assessor in townships such as Decatur, is $3,000 but the $2,400 agreed upon was acceptable to Mr. Adams.

WORK COMPLETE.

It is expected that with the full time official on the job more complete and more equitable assessments will be possible and that property which has escaped taxation will be uncovered as the assessor will be able to study the ground.

On part time basis the assessor has received five dollars a day with an additional compensation when he uses his car for the work.

No change will be made in the plans for the assessment for this year but after the books have been closed Mr. Adams will open an office probably in the courthouse.

Five Speeders Arrested.

Five more speeders were arrested Tuesday. Four were fined and one gave bond. Cecil Force, route 6; H. Hull, 2633 East Sangamon; Herbert Bellsmith, 1937 East Main, and H. M. Hammon, 420 West King, were fined $18.40 each by Justice Dickinson. Dorothea Thrift, 724 West William street, gave bond to appear before Justice Dickinson April 28.

Thieves Enter Store.

Thieves entered M. Fahay's hardware store on East Eldorado street Tuesday night by smashing one of the windows. They got $5 in change out of the cash drawer, but nothing else was missed.

The Body Cries for Iron, Lime and Phosphorus

YOU hear of one kind of food that supplies iron, another that furnishes lime, still another that offers phosphorus. But good bread—HOLSUM bread—supplies them all, abundantly.

You do not have to eat a dozen foods to get life's essentials; HOLSUM bread is generous in the materials that promote growth and supply energy. It must be good bread, though, for there are many grades of bread. Therefore, the necessity for always specifying HOLSUM.

HOLSUM is scientifically blended to form the balanced food. Serve it often, and in various ways. Don't say "bread"—say HOLSUM.

Try this recipe tonight:

Creamed Asparagus in Individual Croustades

Slice HOLSUM 2 to 3 inches in thickness. Cut edges off so a square remains. Scoop out crumbs from center of slice, leaving an empty box. Dip all surfaces of bread boxes into melted butter, brown in oven. Fill with creamed asparagus.

There's a Difference in Bread

CONKLIN'S HOLSUM

Free Demonstration —of—

IS MELLOW-CREAM-YELLOW

AT DECATUR REVIEW OFFICE

—On—

Thursday of This Week

we will serve America's Cup Coffee free to the ladies of Decatur from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m.

We are doing this for the sole purpose of acquainting you with the high quality and fine flavor of America's Cup.

We suggest three reasons why you should use this coffee:

1. Quality 2. Economy

3. Sealed Sanitary Package

With each package purchased during this demonstration we will give a 1½ quart aluminum pan free.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Itinerary For European Trip

Decatur Party to Sail On June 3.

The itinerary has been completed for the trip abroad which Miss Annette Van Dyke and her party from the Decatur Musical college and several others will take during the summer months. Those comprising the party are Mrs. J. J. Moran and daughter, Miss Imelda; Mrs. William Donovan, Miss Janet Cozad, Miss Helen Louise Mannington, Miss Margaret Emonds and Miss Van Dyke.

The party will sail from New York June 3 on the S. S. "Cleveland," arriving on the thirteenth in Cherbourg, from where they will proceed by special boat-train to Paris. After a two days' stay in Paris at the Hotel Du Pavillon they will go to Avignon for a day and then to Nice for two days. A one day automobile excursion over the Upper Corniche to Mentone will be taken at this time, returning along the coast by way of Monte Carlo. On the twentieth, the party will go to Genoa. The next five days will be passed in Rome, with two days being spent in sightseeing of the famous city. They will stop at the Hotel Bristol.

They plan to be in Florence, Italy, from June 27 to the twenty-ninth, the time being passed in sightseeing, including an excursion to Fiesole.

On June 30, they go to Venice stopping at the Hotel Regina, and the third of July, they will go to Stresa and visit Lake Maggiore. They stop at the Hotel Regina Palace in Stresa. By way of the Simplon and Loetschberg Passes, the group will leave July 5 for Interlaken in Germany, passing the fifth, sixth and seventh in that vicinity, their headquarters being at the Hotel Savoy. A one-day excursion to Lauterbrunnen, Scheidegg and Grindelwald will be taken at this time.

Over the Brunig Pass to Lucerne is scheduled for the eighth of July, and the three following days will be passed in Lucerne at the Hotel Europe, this stop including an excursion to Mt. Rigi.

Paris will be reached on the twelfth of the month, and the party plans to remain in that city for over a month.

They will arrive in London on August 17, stopping at the Hotel Grosvenor, and will remain there until the twenty-fifth of August. They will go by way of Calais-Dover. One day will be passed sightseeing in London and there also will be a one-day excursion by automobile to Richmond, Windsor and The Thames valley.

The Decatur folk plan to arrive on Aug. 29 in Southampton from where they will sail for New York on the ship, "Deutschland," arriving in New York on Sept. 3.

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Covers were laid for sixteen at the 1 o'clock luncheon given Wednesday by Mrs. E. F. Dunn, the guests being members of the Wednesday Bridge club. Spring flowers were used in decorating. Following the luncheon, four tables of bridge were at play.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Cooper and son, William, of St. Louis, former residents of Decatur, plan to motor to Decatur to pass the week-end with friends.

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The last of the dances to be given by members of the Elks club will be given Wednesday evening in the club, the hours being from 8:30 until 11:30. All members of the Elks club and their invited guests are welcome. Homebrook's eight-piece orchestra will furnish the music for dancing. R. W. Trotter is general chairman of the affair.

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The Ladies Auxiliary of the Newcomers Club will be entertained at luncheon Thursday at 12:30 in the home of Mrs. A. R. Jamison, 1501 West Main street. The afternoon will be passed in sewing and cards.

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CLEAR $200 AT ST. JOHN'S BAZAAR

More than $200 was cleared at the bazaar and bakery sale given Tuesday afternoon in the K. of P. hall by the Woman's Guild of the St. John's Episcopal church. Forty-five tables of cards were at play during the afternoon, high score prize going to Mrs. Charles E. Deetz, the prize being a home-made cake.

There are still several pretty articles as well as a number of aprons, caps and other useful garments which were not sold Tuesday. Any one wishing to purchase any of the home-made articles may call Mrs. Frank Curtis, West Main street.

The proceeds fro mthe party and bazaar will go towards the fund for the entertainment of the visiting delegates who will attend the Episcopal synod in Decatur in May.

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Zeta Tau Alpha sorority will have a benefit dance Tuesday April 29, in the Elks club rooms.

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QUAINT customs and the conditions in Haiti and Santo Domingo, which places he recently visited, were told of by W. F. Hardy Tuesday afternoon at the regular meeting of the Art and Literature division of the Woman's Club Tuesday afternoon in the club rooms. The speaker told of the island slipping in government until now negro rule practically prevails in the jungle, with a voodoo religion dominant despite the teachings and efforts of the Roman Catholics.

There are now 3,000 United States Marines in that vicinity. He stated that travel had been made safe because of their efforts, regardless of what criticism might be made of their actions and behavior. The speaker commended the United States navy and stated that it was a splendid place for a young man owing to the valuable training in system, obedience and physical development. Mr. Hardy recently returned from a trip with the United States fleet in southern waters.

Elmer Lyons delighted the club with three solos, accompanied by Mrs. Helen Burks Phillippi. The numbers were, "The World Is Waiting for the Sunrise," "Without the Leaves" and "The Sunshine of Your Smile." Mrs. H. F. Wilson is leader for the month of April.

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MRS. FRANK A. CHAPIN has issued invitations for a 1 o'clock luncheon to be given on Saturday in the Country Club.

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Mrs. J. H. Scoforth and Miss Winona Telling delightfully entertained thirty members of the Daughsis Club on Tuesday evening in the home of the former at 409 South Webster street, honoring Miss Mabel Myers whose marriage to Malcolm Wood will take place the latter part of May.

The affair was a miscellaneous shower. The bride-to-be found her gifts under a typical April shower which apparently came from a huge water sprinkler suspended from the ceiling. Five tables of "Hearts" were at play during the evening and the prize was won by Miss Iva Puckett. The house was tastefully decorated in pink and white and the color scheme also was carried out in the refreshments. The center piece of the table was a miniature bride and bridegroom standing beneath an arch of flowers.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Hull were hosts to the members of the Tuesday Evening Bridge Club in their home in the Commodore apartments Tuesday evening, with three tables at play. Spring flowers were used in decorating. High score prizes were awarded Mr. and Mrs. J. H. O'Brien. Master Johnny Burns of Chicago, xylophone player, accompanied by Mrs. Emil Fox, delighted with several solos. Assisting the hostess in serving was Mrs. Ross Bozart. Mrs. L. D. Burns and hr two children, Johnny and Billy of Chicago, were out-of-town guests. The next meeting will be in two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Ross Bozart, Garfield avenue.

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ELKS' LADIES PLAN MAY DAY PARTY

Plans are under way for a May Day Card party to be held Thursday afternoon, May 1, in the Elks' club, the affair to be given by the Elks' Ladies, and is open to the public. Private parties, clubs and private persons wishing reservations may notify Mrs. W. H. Davies or Mrs. H. H. Abbott, who are in general charge of the affair.

Five prizes for the bridge play and five prizes for the five hundred play already have been donated. This party is taking the place of one which was scheduled to be given on Feb. 29.

The regular monthly meeting and party for the Elks Ladies was held Monday afternoon in the club, at which time plans for the May Day party were made. Hostesses for the afternoon were Mesdames H. Hanthorn, William Jungjohann, G. A. Johnson and A. R. Coggan. The hostesses for the next party, which will be held the third Monday in the month, are as follows: Mesdames W. F. Mitvalsky, A. W. Hendricks, E. R. Kellington, F. Parkinson and H. Goose.

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Mrs. Grace Wilhelmy, West Main street, left Tuesday for Hot Springs, Ark., where she plans to remain for several weeks.

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The M. B. B. O club met Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Edith Custin, 1414 North Broadway. The evening was spent in making plans for a hike Saturday. Three new members, Ella Bowman, Gertrude Smith and Elizabeth Long, were received. At the meeting of the club last week the following officers were elected: President, Edna Mills; secretary, Edith Custin; treasurer, Virginia Waltz; reporter, Helen Keck.

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Mrs. B. J. Gharrett, 2105 East William street, entertained the Esperer Club Tuesday afternoon in her home. High score prizes went to Mrs. B. J. Gharrett, Mrs. W. B. Sadorus and Mrs. H. Powell. Dainty refreshments were served. The next meeting will be in two weeks with Mrs. R. C. Behnke, Seventh and Locust streets.

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Mrs. F. N. Etoll, 1230 West Forest, entertained the Harmony five hundred club Tuesday afternoon. First prize was won by Mrs. B. H. Vollmer, second by Mrs. Dale Stump and consolation went to Miss Anna Drew. Mrs. Stump and Mrs. R. C. Bentfro were guests and were admitted as new members. The next meeting will be May 6 with Mrs. Lewis Huffer, 1094 West Wood.

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The L. C. club will meet all day Thursday with Mrs. J. M. Collins, 2135 Avery street. The members are asked to take the 10 o'clock East Main bus.

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The Ladies' auxiliary to the United Commercial Travelers will have its regular meeting at 2:30 Thursday afternoon, April 24, in the new Woodman hall. Hostesses will be Mrs. Harry Sackriter, Mrs. J. S. Barbey, Mrs. L. Simmons, Mrs. F. Graham and Mrs. O. Childs. Five hundred and bridge will be played.

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The Sweet Pea club met Tuesday with Mrs. Charles Cameron on North Main street. Three tables of five hundred were at play. Mrs. P. S. Martinie, Mrs. Frank Berg, and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Grady won high scores. Mrs. Frank Bery will entertain the club at its next meeting.

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Court of Honor, Life association No. 485, will have the regular meeting in the G. A. R. hall, Main and William, at 7:30 Wednesday evening. A card party will follow the meeting and all members and their friends are invited to this. Prizes will be given the winners in the card play.

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The Independence Sewing Circle met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Lewis Weiss with a good attendance. The afternoon was passed socially and refreshments were served. The next meeting will be Thursday with an all day quilting and a pot-luck luncheon with Mrs. Glan, East Marietta street.

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250 AT RECEPTION FOR CLINTON SINGER

Clinton, April 23—Mesdames T. B. Hardin, R. E. Nesbit, W. P. Cramer, Ed Hendrix and Theodore Hendrix held a reception Tuesday afternoon in the home of the latter, 614 North Jackson avenue, honoring Miss Margaret Hendrix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Hendrix, who arrived from Italy Saturday for a five-months tour of the United States. Miss Hendrix is a Dewitt county girl, having been born and reared here and two hundred fifty friends and acquaintences greeted her on this occasion.

The home was beautifully decorated for the reception and dainty refreshments were served. Mesdames F. N. Munch and W. S. Heinle of Decatur were out-of-town guests.

Miss Marie David, violin and Miss Margaret Metz, pianist furnished music throughout the afternoon.

FOUR YEARS IN ITALY.

Miss Hendrix has spent the last four years in Italy, France, Germany and Australia, appearing on the stage under the name of Rita Theodore. Her voice is soprano dramatic and is considered among one of the best in Europe. She is able to sing in Italian, French, German and English.

By permission of her managers she came to America for a five-months tour and will return at the end of that time to Italy where she has a contract to appear in Italian opera in 1925 and '26. After a few days rest here she will appear in her first public recital in Clinton under the auspices of the American Legion, Crang-Bennett Post, giving her many friends an opportunity to hear her. She will then give concerts in many cities along the western coast, the eastern coast and many other large cities.

MARRIED

HODGINS-WHEELER.

Miss Frances A. Hodgins and Robert F. Wheeler, both of Decatur, were married Wednesday morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Chesteen Smith at the First Methodist church. Only the relatives and a few of the most intimate friends were present. The attendants were Miss Mildred Hodgins, sister of the bride, and John Warren.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. F. J. Hodgins, 1445 South Illinois street. The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry M. Wheeler, 824 East Lincoln avenue. Both are popular with a wide circle of friends.

A wedding breakfast was served in the home of the bride's mother, and at noon Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler left on an automobile trip. They will visit points of interest in eastern Illinois and Indiana, returning some time next week.

Rummage Sale.

Group two of Westminster Presbyterian church will have a rummage sale at 528 North Water street, Friday and Saturday, April 25 and 26. This group always has taken pride in making over garments for children as the women find this to be of great help to busy mothers.

PERSONALS

Dr. W. H. Bell was called to Springfield Wednesday by the serious illness of George Hoffman, an old Wabash engineer.

Dr. and Mrs. A. G. Mizell and two children returned to their home in Shelbyville Wednesday after spending two days in the home of J. G. Threlkeld and family. Dr. Mizell attended the doctors' clinic.

GOOD MANNERS
LADY SITS IN FRONT

A lady always sits in the front row of a box, at the theater.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

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(A daily menu for the stout and thin)

EAT AND—

Lose Weight — **Gain Weight**

Three large unsweetened stewed prunes, ½ cup gluten gruel, 1 cup clam chowder, ⅔ recipe scrambled eggs with mushrooms, ½ cup beet greens, ½ cup apple-celery-nut salad with 1 cup shredded lettuce, 1 small baked potato, 1 pint skimmed milk, 4 tablespoons stewed rhubarb, 2 graham crackers.

Total calories, 1054. Protein, 234; fat, 218; carbohydrate, 603. Iron, .0248 gram.

The prunes and cereal are planned for breakfast, clam chowder and graham crackers with stewed rhubarb for luncheon and the eggs, greens salad and potato for dinner.

SCRAMBLED EGGS WITH MUSHROOMS.

Four eggs, 8 button mushrooms, 4 tablespoons milk, 1 tablespoon butter, 2 whole slices whole wheat toast, salt and pepper.

Melt butter in frying pan. Add mushrooms cut in small pieces and fry lightly. Beat eggs slightly with milk and turn into frying pan. Lift with a fork as mixtures thickens. Season with salt and pepper and serve on buttered toast for the reducing diet.

Total calories, 465. Protein, 129; fat, 205; carbohydrate, 71. Iron, .0071 gram.

Six large sweetened stewed prunes, ½ cup gluten gruel with 1 dessertspoon sugar and ¼ cup cream, 2 waffles and 1 dessertspoon butter and 4 tablespoons maple sirup, 1 cup clam chowder, 2 whole wheat peanut butter sandwiches, 6 ripe olives, 1 cup cream of onion soup, ¼ recipe scrambled eggs with mushrooms on buttered toast, ½ cup beet greens with 3 tablespoons hot tartar sauce, ½ cup apple-celery-nut salad with 1 cup shredded lettuce and 4 tablespoons whipped cream dressing, 1 large twice-baked potato, 4 tablespoons stewed rhubarb, 2 graham crackers, 4 tablespoons chocolate cream pudding with 2 tablespoons whipped cream, 2 French rolls, 1 pint whole milk.

Total calories, 3984. Protein, 379; fat, 1793; carbohydrate, 1812. Iron, .0219 gram.

Cheese, egg, butter and cream add many calories to the twice-baked potato of this menu.

The chocolate cream pudding is just a cornstarch pudding richly seasoned with chocolate and served with whipped cream. This dessert is easily digested, making it a boon to the person who wants to gain.

If more calories are needed in this menu raisins or dates can be added to the cereal and a hearty dessert served for luncheon.

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THIS SHEDS DUST

This summer coat is practical for street and travel because of the dust-shedding qualities of its mohair material. It is a Patou model developed in black with a lining of black and white printed silk, and a scarf of the same.

SHAPED FLOUNCE IN MANY FORMS

Paris, April 23.—There seems no end to the variety displayed today by the shaped flounce. Ornamenting all sorts of costumes, it becomes a complicated affair of tiers and twists.

Paris, April 23.—In many present-day tailored models, the waistline, where there is any, has mounted higher. The belts are often merely hinted at by knots or cocardes of ribbon, flowers or braid.

London, April 23.—While straight lines and slim silhouettes remain decidedly in vogue today, they are less stark and bare than formerly. The straight lines are veiled in all manner of panels, veilings and shawl effects.

London, April 23.—The brilliant scarf now in style is made up of many colors, but the clever debutante picks one of these colors to match in a headband and bracelets.

New York, April 23.—The role of buttons today is becoming steadily a more important one. Sometimes there is a long row of tiny buttons from shoulder to hem. Sometimes there are only a few buttons, but these are as large as a wrist watch and often are sunbursts of brilliants.

New York, April 23.—Among the neat little new hats is one which comes near being a duplicate of a policeman's old-fashioned helmet. The crown is not quite so high, but the brim is no wider.

Priscilla Pleasure Club.

The Priscilla Pleasure club will meet at 2:30 Thursday afternoon in the home of Miss Lou McReynolds, 503 South Church. All members are requested to be present.

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Thousands of women and men too are offending with perspiration odors and do not know it. And now at last there is a simple new way to free yourself from perspiration and body odors easily, quickly and safely—without dangerous chemicals.

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Get a box of Chex. Unless it prevents all perspiration and body odors for 24 hours after use, return what is left to us and we will gladly refund your money.

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Cool ventilating eyelets are a thoughtful feature of these wee garments. Baby specialists urge that only ventilated pants be used. And Hickory pants are a comfort to mother too—no stitching to tear out—no cracking or gumming of rubber. Flesh, white and natural in wanted sizes, made of Para rubber.

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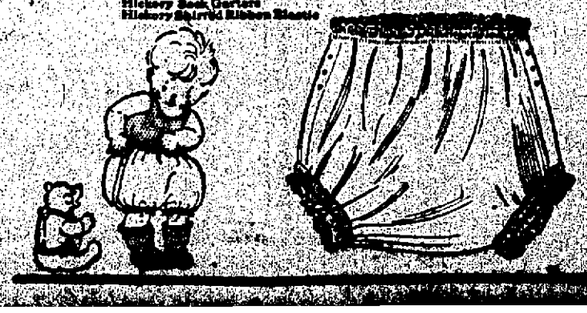

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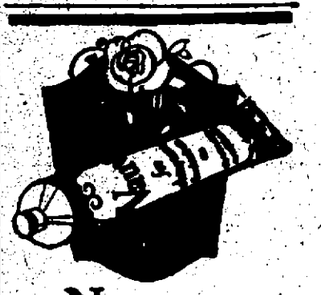

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$1.00 Down Sale of HOOSIER Kitchen Cabinets!

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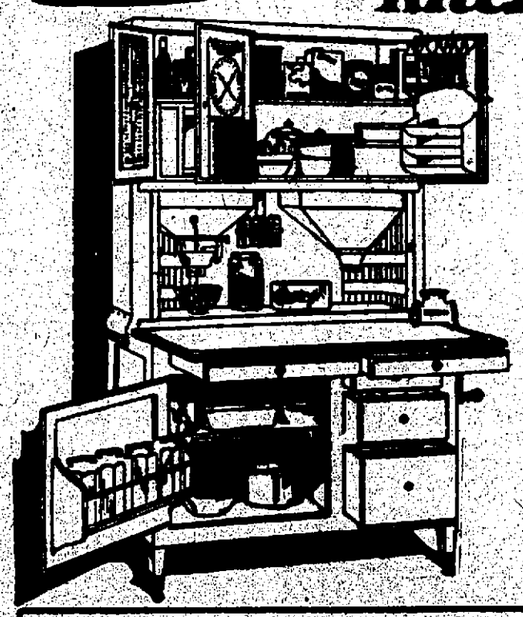

Out go the Hoosiers! Housewives all over Decatur are talking about this great sale! All day yesterday the eager crowds, quick to take advantage of this wonderful offer, made tremendous inroads in our stock. They're going fast—you must act at once if you want a Hoosier on these marvelous terms!

Pay As Convenient

Think of freeing yourself from kitchen drudgery for a dollar! That's all you need to have your new Hoosier delivered to your home! Use it while you pay the balance—a little at a time, so that it can't be a burden. It saves you miles of steps—gives you more time to yourself. It is the last word in kitchen conveniences! Come today with a dollar bill and get your Hoosier!

$5.00 Allowance for Your Old Cabinet!

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Always keep soft cloth on hand for rubbing up your silver. White

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Removing Glue.

Household vinegar will remove old glue from furniture.

For Ammonia.

Often the radiator leaks and the water beneath gets a filmy gray spot. This may easily be removed with ammonia.

Clean Leather.

A solution of white soap, to which water and oil have ben added, makes a good cleaner for leather.

For Cleaning.

Gold and silver lace embroidery may be cleaned by brushing with gasoline or alcohol.

Remove Stains.

To remove stains of chocolate or cocoa, moisten with cold water then cover with borax and let stand for a few minutes before you rinse with boiling water.

Emergency Kits.

Emergency kits fitted out with bandages, gauze, scissors, tweezers and such first-aid equipment should be found in every medicine cabinet.

Silver Inlay.

Glass with silver inlay must be rubbed after washing with a chamois skin dipped in whiting.

Pinch of Salt.

When stewing dried or evaporated fruits, remember that a pinch of salt should be added to bring back the flavor.

Proper Clothes.

When cleaning your house always wear clothes that are comfortable and that admit of stooping, reaching and stretching. You will be much less tired after a hard day's work than if you are not perfectly easy.

Frying In Fat.

Unless the fat used for frying is hot enough to form a crust on the food cooked in it, it will soak into the food.

Beef Fat.

Beef fat, clarified, is a good substitute for butter in shortening biscuits and gingerbread.

Pears.

Pears are delicious baked or stewed like apples.

Use Paper.

Line the garbage can with paper

and make the cleaning less distasteful.

Cook Uncovered.

Cook onions and vegetables uncovered and their odor will be less noticeable.

Iron Stand.

A clean brick makes an excellent iron stand that will retain heat for a long time.

Banish Safely SUPERFLUOUS HAIR With Oriental Balsam

No need now to remove hairs with an electric needle, nor to shave, nor to use old-fashioned methods that cause the hair to grow back heavier and stiffer than ever. Simply spread a little Karma, beauty specialists newest discovery, over the unwanted hairs and in one minute they are gone as though by magic and the skin is clear, white, healthy and soft as velvet.

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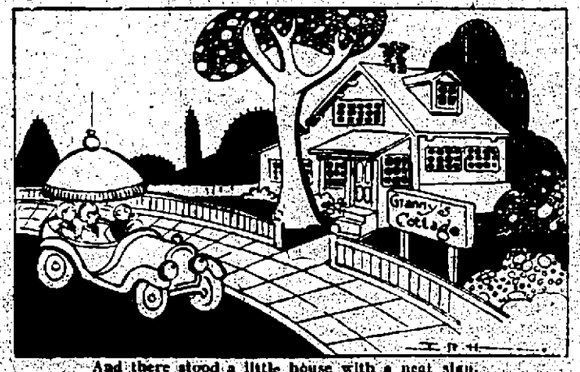
Red Riding Hood's House.



And there stood a little house with a neat sign.

"Would you like to go and call on Red Riding Hood?" asked Mister Muggs as Nancy and Nick seated themselves in the magic automobile for their next adventure in Once-Upon-a-Time Land.

"Shall we see the wolf," asked Nick.

"I'm not so sure about that," answered little Mister Muggs. "You see, the woodcutters chased him so far and gave him such a beating that he may not have felt like coming back."

Chug, chug, chug! they went over seven counties and seven towns, and in the twinkling of seven eyes they came to the forest where Red Riding Hood had met the wolf.

And there stood a little house with a neat sign which said, "Granny's Cottage—Lift up the latch and walk in."

So they all walked in—and there stood the old wolf.

"Oh, my!" cried Nancy, rushing for the cupboard where Red Riding Hood's grandmother had hidden long ago when the wolf chased her out of bed.

"Come here, Nancy," said little Mister Muggs bravely. "Don't be afraid of this fellow. I never did believe that he meant to hurt Red Riding Hood or Granny either!"

—Suddenly two big tears fell out of the wolf's eyes. "Oh, no, sir! I wouldn't have hurt a hair of their heads! I've been away for fifteen years on the other side of the world, and I've just come back. I'll tell you the truth now. I'm not really a wolf at all, but an enchanted prince. A wicked fairy put me under a spell for fifteen years. The fifteen years are up and I'm waiting for the spell to be broken. This is my kingdom and I own this forest."

"Well, well, well!" declared Mister Muggs. "Who would have thought it? I shouldn't, for one."

"And I never forgot the sweet little girl I met in the woods picking flowers. Do you know where she lives?" asked the wolf.

"We are just on our way to her house now," said Mister Muggs. "If you care to come, you may follow us along the path."

Red Riding Hood, now grown up, was making beds and looked out of the window and saw them.

"Look, what's after you!" she cried, sticking her head out of the window. "It's a dreadful wolf."

"Oh, please ma'am, I'm not dreadful," said the wolf. "If you'll only let me come inside I'll be as good as gold and sit in a corner."

"Well, if you sit in a corner, you may," said Red Riding Hood. "Come in, everybody."

So they all went in and Red Riding Hood ran down to meet them.

But when she got there the wolf had vanished. And there stood a handsome young man in his place. The fifteen years were up that very minute, and the prince was himself again!

How did it end?

With a wedding, of course, and Nancy and Nick and Mister Muggs stayed to see it.

And this is the road way the story about Red Riding Hood ends!

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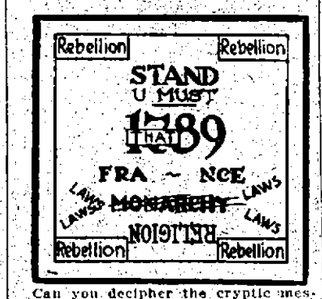
A PUZZLE A DAY



Can you decipher the cryptic message given in the drawing? It tells a simple story of the outbreak of the French Revolution and its immediate consequences.

Yesterday's answer:

AGO ATE AT SO AT SAND AM ARE EAT SHAY.

The ten words given above, when re-spaced and properly punctuated, read: "A goat eats oats, and a mare eats hay."

HAMMOND MAN AT MARRIAGE ALTAR

Hammond, April 23—Homer Dick and Miss Alpha James were married in Bloomington Saturday at the home of the bride's parents.

Miss James is one of the teachers in the high school here and is an accomplished young lady. Mr. Dick is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Dick and is an industrious and popular young man. They will go to housekeeping in one of Robert Fulks houses.

Enard Cruze of near here has filed suit in the Moultrie County Circuit court for the annulment of the marriage of his son, John Cruze, and a young woman of Lovington. Anna Spent, which occured in Decatur the eighth of January, the ceremony being performed at the Macon County court house by Judge McCoy. It is alleged that the license was secured from the Macon County clerk by fraudulent statements regarding the age of the young man as he was not eighteen at the time the license was secured. The young lady was a little over eighteen years of age at that time.

Samuel Cain and wife moved into the Clyde Evans property, in the south part of town Tuesday.

Oliver Bunn of Decatur is spending a few days with his mother here Mrs. Margaret Brown.

J. A. Freeman, wife and daughter Lois of Decatur visited relatives here Sunday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. George B. Gentry.

NEW EYE MAKE-UP LOOKS NATURAL and WON'T RUB OFF

Now every woman can beautify her eyes without having to use the old, smudgy, insanitary, artificial-looking cake preparations.

Beauty specialists have now discovered a wonderful new liquid eye make-up that can be whisked on in an instant and as easily taken off—a waterproof liquid that cannot run, rub off or smear even from tears or perspiration—a liquid that spreads evenly over the lashes and brows, giving them a new pleasing natural beauty.

Thousands of conservative women have already adopted this new discovery, which is called Lashbrow Liquid, because it makes the lashes appear longer, delicately soft and sweeping, and the brows well arched and lustrous, yet no one would suspect its presence.

Lashbrow Liquid costs but a few cents at Decatur Drug Co., Gardner Drug Co., I. N. Irwin Drug Co., Frankel Drug Co., Linn & Scruggs.

Claims Dandruff Causes Baldness

If you have dandruff you must get rid of it quick—it's positively dangerous and will surely ruin your hair if you don't.

Dandruffy heads mean faded, brittle, gray, scraggly hair that finally dies and falls out—new hair will not grow—then you are bald and nothing can help you.

The only sure way to abolish dandruff for good is to destroy the germ that causes it. To do this quickly, surely and safely, and at little expense, there is nothing so effective as Parisian Sage, which you can get from Decatur Drug Co., and good druggists everywhere. It is guaranteed to banish dandruff, stop itching scalp and falling hair, and promote a new growth, or the cost, small as it is, will be refunded.

Parisian Sage is a scientific preparation that supplies all hair needs—an antiseptic liquid neither sticky or greasy, easy to apply, and delicately perfumed.

If you want beautiful soft, thick, lustrous hair, and lots of it by all means use Parisian Sage. Don't delay—begin tonight—a little attention now insures abundant hair for years to come.

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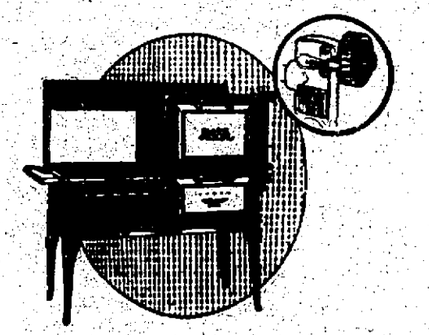

Let This Range give you every afternoon off!

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Apply Zemo, Clean, Penetrating, Antiseptic Liquid

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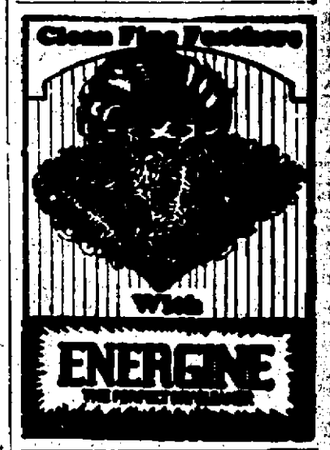

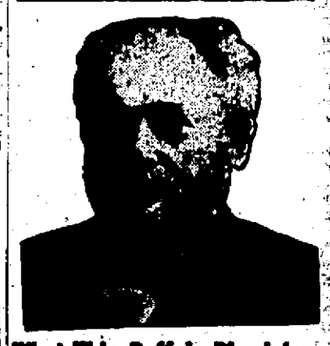

What This Buffalo Physician Has Done For Humanity

The picture which appears here of Dr. Pierce of Buffalo, N.Y., was taken in 1910. As a young man Dr. Pierce practised medicine in Pennsylvania and was known far and wide for his great success in alleviating disease. He early moved to Buffalo and put up in ready-to-use form, his Golden Medical Discovery, the well-known tonic for the blood. This strength-builder is made from a formula which Dr. Pierce found most effective in diseases of the blood. It contains no alcohol and is an extract of native roots with the ingredients plainly stated on the wrapper. Good red blood, vim, vigor and vitality are sure to follow if you take this Alterative Extract. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery clears away pimples and annoying eruptions, tends to keep the complexion fresh and clear. This Discovery corrects the disordered conditions in a sick stomach, aids digestion, acts as a tonic and purifies the blood. Write Dr. Pierce's Invalids Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., and receive confidential medical advice free. Send 10c for trial pkg. tablets. All druggists sell Discovery, tablets or liquid.

DANVILLE

Lady Reduces

Danville, Ill., Dec., 1923.

To Whom It May Concern:

For the past twelve years I have been burdened with from 70 to 80 pounds overweight. I was advised by my Doctor to try the Worth Trying System and have surely found it successful. I never felt well all the time I was stout and now I am taking the Worth Trying System and I lost 8 pounds the first week. My weight at the beginning of this course was 215 lbs., and I now weigh 149 and I've never felt better in all my life. I'm so thankful for what it has done for me and I want to tell others how easy it is to do.

Yours truly,
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For a Better Decatur

THE REVIEW'S PROGRAM.

Roads.
Parks and Play Grounds.
A Forest Preserve.
Enforced Prohibition.
Better School Facilities.

BLAME THE OTHER FELLOW.

We are quite anxious the other fellow shall cease to add to the burdens of taxation, but we are not quite so cheerful when he asks us to set an example. One gathers as much from information in an address delivered by President Coolidge to Associated Press members Tuesday in New York.

Now pending in congress are measures from an infinite number of "minorities" that would increase expenditures of the government by $3,600,000,000 for the year. This comes at a time when, as the President points out, there is a general demand for relief in the tax burden.

And it probably is true that each of the measures calling for these additional billions is supported by a line of talk it is not easy to meet and overcome. It is the way with these "minority" movements; they the likely to be loaded with appeals to the humanities and everything along that line.

The chances are that the man who opposes any of the movements will be put down as a reactionary and an old fossil. And yet, as the President tells us, they would bring disaster to the country.

However, this little matter of general disaster doesn't seem to worry the advocates of these movements. Each of them is willing to save the country by dropping all pet measures except his own; and all of them will take pleasure in showing you that unless the country spends the money they ask, civilization is sure to suffer a serious setback.

Most of us don't seem to have much sense, and more than a few of us have misplaced the little we ever did have.

GETTING READY FOR THE QUALITY.

Robert Small tells that New Yorkers of all grades and classes are making large preparations to receive and entertain Democrats who will gather in June for the national convention of their party.

Even the bootlegger of that town has made up his mind to show the best licks that are in him. He will have a plentiful supply of the real stuff, and for this he will ask only a most modest price. If he progresses a little further in his altruism, he will be donating the drinks by the time delegates gather.

But the general expectation is that we Democrats will have little to do with that bootlegger. We may have some slight appreciation of the spirit that moves him, but we don't care for his line of wares. A few in New York at that time may show signs of too free imbibing, but in most instances a little investigation will show they are emissaries sent along by the Republican national committee to bring discredit on the great Democratic gathering.

We are interested in a livelier way by what hotel and restaurant men of New York promise as to the part they will play in the entertainment of the salt of the earth. Hotel rates are to be modest—that is for New York—and if a delegate wishes a room all to himself he will be supplied without extra charge.

It is mighty pleasant to contemplate all these good things in advance, for it is just possible some will try to tell another story and experiences after the smoke of battle clears away.

But at any rate New York is handsome in promises; it is plain that at least at this time, those New Yorkers have a keen and proper appreciation of the quality of guests they are to entertain.

DISCOUNT FOR CAMPAIGN.

It may be all right to discount some of the stories of disturbance coming out of Japan at this time, relating to the exclusion act our own Congress has been working on.

We should keep in mind there is a campaign on in Japan. This exclusion subject has been injected into practical politics in that country, and there is a widespread feeling in Japan that votes are to be won or lost in its handling.

It is just now the business of the Outs in Japan to encourage and then appeal to the prejudices of voters in that country, hence they will be likely to handle the exclusion question in this fashion.

At the same time it is the business of the Ins of Japan to do what they can to save themselves in this flood of appeals to prejudice, manufactured or otherwise. We in this country have had some experience with this grade of campaigning, and we know that while it is on we say and do things that are intended only for home consumption.

There may be something in the suggestion that Ins, internationally considered, should try to stand together in some fashion. This means that Ins over here should take steps to make the going a little bit easier for Ins over there. We are trying to live up to this expectation.

EATING HOUSE ALONG THE WAY

We wonder if the time will ever come when the railroads will leave off most of the dining cars and go back to the old eating houses in the stations.

There is still a little of this with us, but not nearly as much as we once had. The only merit of the station eating house is that perhaps it can be run at a profit in place of a loss. Of course this single merit is likely to appeal with greater force to railroad managements that have to pay the loss than to patrons who don't pay it.

But we can hardly expect to go on eating forever at the expense of the managements. And they can't save themselves by boosting dining car prices, the limit in that direction having been reached.

Railroad managements of an earlier day didn't do very well in running their eating houses. The trains didn't get there on time, and then of course the traveler had to be hurried in his meal, threatening him with the horrors of indigestion.

Some of this might have been overcome. The Santa Fe system hangs on to eating houses in big part, and it has introduced improvements.

BUT LOOK AT OUR ALIBI.

Now and then, here and there, some fellow pops up to tell us we don't understand the meaning of such terms as "grave consequences," used by Ambassador Hanihara in a communication to our department of state.

It may be true, but be good enough not to blame us for this dunderheadedness. In this instance we have an alibi that is proof against all attack, and we may be tempted to use it. We hesitate to do so, but it is clearly within our rights.

When the proper time comes, and if we are unduly pressed and flaunted, we shall reply that we accepted the translation of this term from no less a scholar than Senator Lodge.

He is the gentleman who told us that "grave consequences" constituted a threat against our peace and sovereignty. Brethren from the schools have been telling us for many years that in such matters we can't have a more reliable authority than said Senator Lodge.

We are not often inclined to pay much heed to the gentleman from Massachusetts; but we thought this was one time we could take his word for the meaning of a term, thereby showing we at least are not unduly prejudiced against him and all his works.

Maybe we should not have done it. But anyhow, it's the alibi we hold in reserve.

IT JUST CAN'T BE DONE.

Somebody is sure to get up in meeting and remark that even the great cause of "Reclamation" may get out of proper bounds and become a failure. It is better to be cautious about this, for we learn from President Coolidge that "failure" is a term not to be applied lightly when discussing a cause as sacred as Reclamation.

He mentions a reclamation project in the west in which the country invested $13,000,000, to which will have to be added another $8,000,000 to take care of some of the aftermath. Not any of this investment will the country be able to recover.

And yet the President tells us it will not do to call this venture a failure. The country puts in all these millions, will have to add a few more, and for this it will collect nothing. Still the thing isn't a failure.

If this reasoning is correct, we are ready to confess and admit, plead guilty if they say so, to the doctrine that in reclamation there can be no such thing as failure. We didn't know it was in us, but there is never any telling how far one's patriotism will lead him.

MIGHT HAVE MADE IT WORSE.

On Monday of this week Speaker Gillett went from the house over to the senate side to inform them he never got that liquor mentioned last week. It was a hearsay story told by a witness before one of the senate probe committees.

But the Speaker didn't get the liquor. He feels a trifle sore about something, so is willing to spoil the story the senate peddled to the country.

We wonder why such a story was peddled. It was only hearsay stuff, so the probers might have got a bigger tale. They might have called some one to tell that the Speaker killed several of his ancestors and has murderous designs on posterity.

There isn't even a sky limit in hearsay.

Two lords of the world crowded the Danville sheriff off the hard road, but now they are languishing in jail. We hope he puts them on bread and water—plenty of water.

Chauncey Depew is 90 years old, and we are disposed to enter him in competition as the best man in the world for his years.

Bill Thompson of Chicago makes a long and fervent plea for harmony; and if they give it to him he will know what to do with it.

Clean up the yard at home; and to guard against possible encroachment of spring fever clean the back yard first.

The last of the big vacations are now out of the way and the schools are heading into the Commencement home stretch.

A walk the length of West Decatur street fails to discover any loud wailing and weeping for the ornamental lights that didn't come.

Dispatches from Washington leave a lively impression that Mr. Gompers is wrestling with a mighty thirst.

Yes, those who serve the council would like to eat; in fact they sometimes do, even when overlooked in the invitation.

Keep in mind that the tax penalty of 1 per cent goes on the morning of the first of May, and the bill is big enough without penalties.

We are getting to be a more peaceable people. Twenty years ago at this season the fellows with sweet pea blooms were fighting each other in awful fashion.

And now there is a big hole in the hull of the sanitary boat caused by the storms that rage on Lake Decatur. That's the stuff.

ILLINOIS BOASTS GREAT MUSEUM

Springfield, April 23—Millions of small bits of wax, cloth, wire, plaster and wood are fitted together to make the backgrounds for the exhibits of animals and plants in the Illinois Museum of Natural History, according to Dr. A. R. Crook, curator of the museum.

Great pains are taken to make the backgrounds as nearly duplicate of nature as is possible and often many hours are spent in producing a single artificial bush. The result of this labor, according to naturalists who have visited the museum, is that Illinois has one of the best museums in the world as far as mounting and arrangement are concerned.

Mama Warned Him

From The People

Lewis Writes for Stringer.

Chicago, April 22, 1924.

Editors Decatur Review:

My attention is drawn to the announcement of the candidacy of Judge Lawrence B. Stringer for the Supreme Court. The district in which he is a candidate embraces that territory in which your papers are published and in which they have influential acquaintince. Rejoicing with you both in the true doctrine of the non-political partisanship in the matter of the judges, and with great respect for the gentlemen who may be the opponents of Judge Stringer,—it ought be made plain that a true non-partisan judiciary should be as evenly balanced between the prominent political parties as would be adjusted. This for the purpose and object of preventing any person from feeling that politics had swayed a decision and controlled the judges, and thus deprived him of justice,—which impression once obtained, deprives the court of respect and obedience.

At present the court, made up of seven members, has only Judge Farmer and Judge Thompson of the minority party. Might I suggest that to have another, making three, giving to the majority party four, is the exact proportion that is maintained by such commonwealths as Pennsylvania,—a Republican state where the appointing power insists on this ratio,—and that the minority ratio is preserved in all the Federal court appointments, in the Circuit Court of Appeals, and in every state of the Union where by appointment or comity between political parties judges are selected.

Judge Stringer held a high place in Congress, had the confidence of the political leaders of both parties, and was tendered through me, as United States Senator, at the instance of the President and the Attorney General, two positions which he could not accept as they removed him from his home state. His high character, acknowledged learning, and attractiveness as orator gave him one of the first positions in Congress, but more particularly, his opinions of the law was sought by the different departments with which he had connection and association. The election of Judge Stringer would give three judges of the Democratic party,—leaving four to the Republicans. This adjustment must impress every mind as fair and calculated to command for the court a continued respect, and above all that obedience and esteem that the Supreme Court of this state should have from every citizen, however high or humble.

With appreciation for many favors for myself, I beg to remain,

Your obedient servant,
J. HAMILTON LEWIS.

Little Benny's Notebook

Puds Simkins gave me last months copy of the Boys Home Companion, being the name of the magazine he gets every munth for his berthday present insted of a air rifle like he asked for, having a lot of avertisements in the back telling you how you can make money by selling diffrent things and getting subscriptions and things, and after suppir pop was smoking to himself and ma was darning holes out of socks and I sed, Hay ma, hay pop, I got a chance to make a lot of money, I red it in a avvertisement in the Boys Home Companion.

Give us the dope on it, Id like to make a little money myself for a change, pop sed.

Well, its easy, theres nuthing to it, I sed. All youhaff to do is sell 3 dozzen usefill articles and eerybody wil be glad to buy one fast as soon as I ask them on account of them being so usefill no home aint complete without one, thats wut the avertizement says, I sed.

Well well, wat are these remarkable articles? pop sed.

Combination Chineez back scratchers and paper cutters, I sed. All you haff to do is send a postal card for them, I sed.

Yee gods, pop sed, and ma sed, Now Benny, forget about it. I cant have you trying to sell innocent peeple sutch truck as that in the first place, and they wouldent buy it in the 2nd place, in the first place.

Aw G, ma, I sed, and pop sed, Well, I dont know, it mite be a good lessin in salesmanship for him, because if he manages to sell 3 duzzen combination Chinees back scratchers and paper cutters at his age he can sell battle ships or acts of Shakespeer or anything wen he gets a little older.

Sure, pop, G, I sed, and pop sed, But therre one trifling detale you have omitted to tell us, how mutch are you going to get for selling these 3 duzzen thingmajiggs?

Well, thats it, I sed. As soon as I sell them and send them the money they will send me 6 rabbits to raise rabbits with at home, and after that they buy all the rabbits I can raise no matter how meny.

Land sakes, ma sed, and pop sed, Your mother is rite, Benny, the average human bean is born without the slightest desire for a combination Chinees back scratcher and paper cutter, and it would hardly be fair to add to their other troubles by making them think otherwise.

Being why I dident send a postal card for the 3 duzzen.

LEE PAPE.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.

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A BIT OF ADVICE.

Laugh and take the jest of life, be a man with men,
Give a blow and take a blow and rise to fight again,
But take a tip from one who knows and have it understood—
Yes, get it clearly in your head, Hang it just above your bed,
Say it when your prayers are said: "You needn't be a sissy to be good."

Sing and dance and have your fun, but keep this truth in mind:
All the joy that is worth while is of the honest kind.
Get out there with rugged men, do what others do,
Brave the wind and face the rain, Bend your muscles to the strain, Have red blood in every vein, But stay clean and true.

Never shrink from any task, hear what you must hear,
Take your post whate'er it be, but keep your conscience clear;
Build your manhood firm and strong, stand where men have stood,
Fight whenever you must fight, Work to win with all your might—
But remember, day and night: "You needn't be a sissy to be good."

About Town

"COME Indianapolis police certainly are dumb," remarked a Millikin student who took a trip to that city during the spring vacation at J. M. U. "While we were there," he continued, "a switchman at one of the railway crossings was shot by a city policeman. The switchman was holding two robbers until aid came, and when the police did arrive they shot the captor and the bandits got away."

"We were stopped once as being suspected of bootlegging. The police searched the car fairly thoroughly and asked about a hund-ed questions concerning our trip—where we were going, how long we were going to stay, what school we were from, how hard the studies were, if we knew 'So and So' who went to the University of Illinois and a number of other inquiries completely off the subject. We had a whisky bottle full of coal oil in the back seat. We used it to fill the lanterns on the Ford. We hoped they would find it and taste it for evidence, but they didn't see it."

WITH the arrival of bobbed hair and women customers in barber shops, the field of gossip widens instead of being hushed. One of this new variety of customers seated herself in the barber chair of a shop a few days ago and then proceeded to tell what had just happened to a girl clerk who worked in the same department store with her.

The victim of "what happened" had evidently been in the habit of keeping late hours and then not being able to see customers in the daytime. This morning, she came to work, dreadfully sleepy. Her eyelids grew heavier and heavier. Finally, she had to go to the rest room and brush them up with cold water. Soon they needed another application of cold water and then another. Finally, every few minutes the cold water application was needed. At quitting time, the boss handed her her check.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY IN DECATUR

APRIL 22, 1914.

Captain J. Frank Cassell, who had been in the army and national guard for twenty-three years, wrote Governor Dunne and Congressman C. M. Borchers asking permission to organize a company in Decatur for Mexican service.

Interurban trainmen were voting on a proposition to accept a 10 per cent wage increase. They were receiving 30 cents an hour and the new scale would be 33 cents.

The Three-I league season opened in Decatur with Springfield defeating the Commodores 5 to 1. Kaiser and O'Brien were the Decatur battery. Attendance was 1,050.

The supreme court adjourned without passing on the legality of the woman suffrage law and local saloonkeepers, who had been holding off, pending this decision, were now arranging to go out of business.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

The 900 Wabash carmen demanded more pay and it was thought a strike was likely if the demand was not granted.

The highway commissioners held the first meeting of the year.

Fairview park put on a spring air and 8000 tulips were soon to bloom.

Plans for the twenty-sixth annual alumni reunion of the high school were made. A play was to be given and Miss Ann Roby, Edward Powers and Alice Baker were three who consented to take part.

In the opening baseball game of the season between J. M. U. and Normal, Millikin won by a score of 8 to 5. George Hill's pitching was a feature of the game.

The houses of Dr. A. M. Drew and Walter Hutchin on Prairie Avenue and S. R. Gher on West Macon, were robbed.

Gas On Stomach Made Her Nervous

For 12 years Mrs. Cook had gas on the stomach and was nervous and short of breath. Finally she took simple glycerine, buckthorn bark, etc., as mixed in Adlerika, and it did her a world of good. Most medicines act only on lower bowel but Adlerika acts on BOTH upper and lower bowel and brings out all gases and poisons. Helps any case gas on the stomach in TEN minutes. Decatur Drug Co., 312-314 E. Water St.

The Story Of Decatur

By E. T. Coleman

CHAPTER 143.

THE HAWORTH FAMILY.

Leaders In Industry, Business, Politics and Civic Affairs For a Generation.

The story of the Haworth checkrower is by no means all of the story of the Haworth family in Decatur. For a generation this family was one of the most prominent in the community, active not only in business but in church, civic and social affairs.

As has already been said the Haworth Checkrower Factory was established and conducted by Mahlon Haworth, the father, and three of his sons, George D., Lysander L., and James W. Haworth. In the history of this industry George D. Haworth is likely to be given the place of chief prominence. He was the inventor of the device, the mechanical expert in the manufacture and development of it and the production manager of the factory. But there was a brother, James H. Haworth, whose influence in this business was not secondary to that of any other member of the company. He was the office manager and the financial man of the concern. Moreover, he was more active in outside affairs and in other lines of business than any other of the family.

MAN OF MANY INTERESTS.

It was James W. Haworth who established the Decatur Iron Felloe Wagon Co., founded the Commonwealth Mutual Insurance Co., built the Haworth Block, then the handsomest business block in the city. He designed and built for himself a handsome residence on East Eldorado street. He owned the corner now occupied by the National Bank of Decatur and other business properties. He was a stockholder and director in this bank. He was a member of Grace M. E. church, the Decatur Club and Beaumanoir Commandery, and was active in all these organizations. In 1880 he was a delegate from the old 14th congressional district to the National Republican convention and was one of the 306 delegates who stood till the end for the nomination of U. S. Grant. He died April 25, 1893, leaving one son, W. E. Haworth who resides in Chicago.

WAGON FACTORY.

The Decatur Iron Felloe Wagon Co. was established in 1883 and was one of the most promising industries of the city. It occupied the building on Wabash avenue that formerly housed the Boyd & Haskell woolen mill and now a part of the Walrus plant. The concern was organized to manufacture farm wagons, using a malleable iron felloe instead of wood felloes. The iron felloe was nonshrinkable and gave the wheel a durability and strength which the wood felloe could not do. This factory bade fair to grow into a great and permanent industry but after operating a number of years it went into liquidation. Its failure is attributed by one authority to lack of capital. The wagon cost a little more than the standard wood felloe wagon and did not meet with a ready sale. It demanded time and money to establish it. A number of Decatur capitalists who had promised to come into the concern with money did not do so. The only investor besides Mr. Haworth was David Hamsher who had previously manufactured this wagon on a small scale.

FINEST BUSINESS BLOCK.

Haworth Block occupied the present site of the Citizens Title and Trust building at North Water and North Park streets and was a monument to the enterprise and civic pride of James W. Haworth. It was a handsome and substantial three story structure. The ground floor was used for offices and the third floor housed the Decatur club. When the Citizens National Bank came to seek new quarters this building was purchased. The cost of altering it to adapt it to the purposes of the bank was found to be too great and the old building was razed to give place to the present one.

COMMONWEALTH MUTUAL.

James W. Haworth advanced $20,000 to establish the fire insurance company known as the Commonwealth Mutual Insurance Co. Subsequently this money was repaid. James W. Haworth was president of this company and John A. Barnes was secretary. The offices of the company were on the second floor of the Haworth Block. The company had an existence of about ten years and went into liquidation shortly after Mr. Haworth's death.

Altogether James W. Haworth was a public spirited and useful citizen and he must be accounted a most important factor in the building of Decatur. He made a great deal of money from the check rower business and is supposed to have lost some in the wagon factory venture. He invested in Chicago real estate which made his son rich.

L. L. HAWORTH MAYOR.

Lysander L. Haworth, the third of the Haworth brothers connected with the checkrower business was a mechanic and an all-round man in the manufacturing business. He was elected mayor of Decatur on the prohibition ticket and actually made the town dry during the second half of his administration. He resided until his death a few years ago at West North and College Square and was probably best known to the present generation of the Haworth brothers. He leaves one descendant, Haworth Brueck, a grandson and son of the late Peter Brueck. His home was in Decatur until recently, but he now lives in Chicago.

CITY AND U. S. OFFICER.

John W. Haworth, a fourth brother, was not associated with the checkrower business. He was city marshall of Decatur for a number of years and is said to have been a most efficient officer. On one occasion he made a trip to the state of Washington to bring back a murderer. The strain incident to this trip is said to have caused his death. He served as United States deputy marshall.

INTEREST IN EDUCATION.

Mrs. George D. Haworth who survives her husband makes her home in California. She was born in Monroe county, N. Y. Her maiden name was Mary E. Grunendike. She was a successful teacher in Decatur before her marriage. She was married to George D. Haworth Dec. 27, 1876.

Mrs. Mary E. Haworth was a member of the Decatur board of education in 1888 and was prominent in Women's Club work and other activities. She is well known to the present elder generation and occasionally visits here.

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Start by getting six ounces of Jo-rex; put two teaspoonfuls into a glass along with two teaspoonfuls of water.

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HALF OF DECATUR IS FREE FROM CONSTIPATION

If You Are Not One of Them, Take Beecham's Pills

They Do Not Leave You Bound Up

The treatment is easy. The first night take one Beecham's Pill at bedtime. If this does not empty the bowels freely, the second night take two. If this fails, the third night take three—and so on. For a child old enough to swallow a pill, one Beecham's Pill is the dose.

Buy a box of Beecham's Pills and study the direction sheet. It explains the *only* way to get rid of constipation. Take Beecham's Pills and you will get back into that half of your city that doesn't have constipation. If you would try before you buy, send to our Sales Agents, B. F. ALLEN CO., Dept. 27, 407 Canal St., New York, for FREE Packet of Beecham's Pills. Sold in boxes: 12 pills, 10c; 40 pills, 25c; 90 pills, 50c, by all Druggists.

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Genuine Cod Liver Oil Tablets Often Produce Most Surprising Results—You Can Get Them From Your Own Druggist On A Ten Days Trial.

Science has at last shown how certain people grow thin and emaciated even on an abundance of ordinary food, because the diet is either lacking in flesh-building elements or the person's digestive system is unable to take out of this food the badly needed vital elements.

In such cases, when these vital elements are separated out by science and put into a concentrated, easily assimilable form, many people are enabled to quickly take on good flesh, round out their face and figure, increase in weight and improve their general health.

Doctors have long recognized that Cod Liver Oil is rich in flesh-building elements which, in an enormous number of cases, people couldn't get the good out of because of it's nauseating taste and tendency to upset the stomach.

Now in Carl's Cod Liver Oil Tablets you can get these elements in a highly concentrated, easily assimilable form, pleasant to take and containing in addition tonic, strength and body building ingredients. Any of the leading druggists named below will gladly refund your money if any person who wishes something to help out on flesh or increase weight is not absolutely delighted with the results from Carl's Cod Liver Oil Tablets. Avoid imitation—be sure and look for the name Carl on every package. On Sale at: Decatur Drug Co., Gardner Drug Co., I. N. Irwin Drug Co., Frankel Drug Co., Ellis W. Armstrong.

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Deep Seated Uric Acid Deposits Are Dissolved and the Rheumatic Poison Starts to Leave the System Within Twenty-four Hours.

Every druggist in this county is authorized to say to any and every rheumatic sufferer that if a full pint bottle of Allenrhu, the sure conqueror of rheumatism, does not show the way to stop the agony, reduce swollen joints and do away with even the slightest twinge of rheumatic pain, he will gladly return your money with comment.

Allenrhu has been tried and tested for years, and really marvelous results have been accomplished in the most severe cases where the suffering and agony was intense and piteous and where the patient was helpless.

Mr. James M. Allen, the discoverer of Allenrhu, who for many years suffered the torments of acute rheumatism, desires all sufferers to know that he does not want a cent of anyone's money unless Allenrhu decidedly conquers this worst of all diseases, and he has instructed druggists to guarantee it as above in every instance. Decatur Drug Company and Bell Drug Company can supply you.

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That is the joyful cry of thousands since Dr. Edwards produced Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel.

Dr. Edwards, a practising physician for 17 years and calomel's old-time enemy, discovered the formula for Olive Tablets while treating patients for chronic constipation and torpid livers.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets do not contain calomel, but a healing, soothing vegetable laxative.

No griping is the "keynote" of these little sugar-coated, olive-colored tablets. They cause the bowels and liver to act normally. They never force them to unnatural action.

If you have a "dark brown mouth" bad breath—a dull, tired feeling—biliousness, sluggish liver—constipation, you will find quick, sure and gentle results follow the use of Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets at bedtime.

Thousands take them every night to keep healthy. Sold in 10c and 25c boxes.

Ralston Has Lost Ground

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which Ralston seemed to have a few weeks ago do not stand up on close examination. One of these arguments was that Ralston would be the second choice of most of the McAdoo delegates. It is a fact that just after McAdoo was involved in the oil investigation, it seemed as if the bulk of the McAdoo strength, in the need for a quick change of front which seemed necessary in the confusion of the moment, were turning to Ralston as their most available second choice. But since that time two things have happened.

HAVE RALLIED.

The McAdoo forces have pulled themselves together behind McAdoo himself, and they have been given greater time for consultation among themselves as to what candidate they should have in reserve for the time when, and if it should prove impossible to succeed with McAdoo himself. In the course of these consultations, it has developed that some of the more powerful McAdoo leaders and delegations have as their second choices, other candidates than Ralston.

Some of the strongest of the McAdoo leaders favor Senator Carter Glass of Virginia as their second lineman. Some others favor John W. Davis. If a canvass were made of the McAdoo delegates so far chosen, and of their leaders, it would be found that a decided majority of them are in the event of the necessity of putting forward a second choice.

"OLD GUARD" LEADERS.

Another factor on which Ralston's presumed advantage rested was the assumption that either he would be the second choice of the New York and other "old guard" leaders, or that at least he would not be so unacceptable to them that they could hold out long against him. This assumption was based on the tradition that the Democratic boss, of Ralston's state.

Tom Taggart, is one of that political fellowship which composes the heart of the "Old Guard leadership, and of which the other principal members are Murphy of New York and Brennan of Chicago.

PRESS TRADITION.

This presumed partnership is largely newspaper tradition, and anyone familiar with events in the Democratic party during the past fifteen years knows Taggart and Murphy have accepted separately, or in opposition to each other, more often than they have cooperated.

In this present political year, there is no basis for the expectation that Murphy and Brennan will turn to Ralston when and if their first choice, Governor Smith of New York, proves impossible to nominate. The practically certain second choice of this group will be Underwood.

THREE OR MORE.

On the assumption that McAdoo and Smith neutralize each other in the early ballots, there are at least three and possibly more candidates who will become primary figures in the balloting before Ralston becomes important. Aside from the leader of Ralston's own state, Tom Taggart, there is no other leader in either the Progressive or conservative groups of the democracy who has his heart so set, on the nomination of Ralston.

Ralston's fortunes, in sport, hang on the possibility of the convention being so long drawn out that the tired leaders and delegates turn to some one whose chief asset is the neutrality of his coloring, as respects his relation to the factions.

Before Ralston cuts any important figure in the convention, prolonged and determined efforts will be made to name one of the three principal contenders, McAdoo, Smith and Underwood; and equally earnest efforts will be made to compromise on Senator Glass, John W. Davis, and some others.

TRUMPETER SWAN TO BRING HIGH PRICE

Rushville, Ill., April 22—W. R. Leach has shipped a swan to the zoo at Washington, D. C. If it proves to be a trumpeter swan, and not a whistling swan, it will be valued in on a trade for other game at $400.

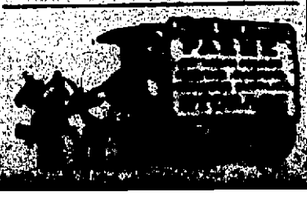
This swan was purchased more than a year ago by Mr. Leach from a game fancier in Middletown, N. J. After it was shipped here the former owner came to Rushville, making the trip by auto, to negotiate for its return after Mr. Leach had pronounced it a trumpeter swan.

The director of the Washington zoo has agreed to leave the naming of the species to the curator of Smithsonian Institute and hopes it is a trumpeter swan as there is not a single one in the United States so far as known.

FIVE GENERATIONS AT CHURCH SERVICE

Farmington, Ill., April 22—With christening of the little daughter of Earl Moul at the Presbyterian church Eastern morn, five generations of the family are now active members of the congregation.

Others of the family who are members of the church are Mrs. Mary Thompson, the great great grandmother; Mrs. William Huey, the great grandmother; Mrs. Mary Moul, the grandmother, and Earl Moul, the father.



TO MAKE DRIVE ON BACK TAXES

To Assess Foreign Insurance Companies.

Assured by Oscar Carlstrom, chairman of that body, that the state tax commission would order boards of review to assess back taxes alleged to be due on premiums on fire insurance business done by foreign insurance companies in Illinois since 1899 city officials who met at Springfield Tuesday to discuss the problem of how to get these taxes felt considerably re-assured after the session held at the Leland hotel.

Active co-operation of the school board and the board of supervisors to work with the city to get this sum due the various taxing bodies in Macon county, estimated at $40,000, will be sought by Mayor Elmer Elder.

COMPANIES FIGHT.

The meeting of Tuesday was the second that the Illinois Municipal League has had on this subject. The first meeting was caused by a decision of the supreme court that the tax on these premiums was to be based on 100 per cent valuation and not on the lower rate figured on other property.

The companies are resisting the collection of these back taxes which are said to amount to about $30,000,000 for the whole state.

TO STUDY RECORDS.

The municipal league will establish a bureau at Springfield to study the records of the insurance companies so as to have information for the various cities which are expected to make the fight for the recovery of the back taxes alleged to be due.

Each taxing body interested will be asked to contribute to a fund to be administered by the league for this bureau.

H. B. Secley, of Chicago, a tax expert who attended the former meeting, was also at the meeting Tuesday. He has already been retained by Chicago and is actively at work on the case for that city.

SPRINGFIELD-PARIS HARD ROAD PROGRESS

Mowequa, April 23 — Springfield and Paris hard road officials were over the line last week and report the work of grading and bridge building proceeding rapidly.

Half a block of cement was poured on our main street in a short time last week.

Mrs. J. L. Sparling was hostess to the English club Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haldon Ayars spent Easter with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Herron and family at Fillmore.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. B. Crowder of Bethany were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Williams.

DINNER CLUB.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Foster were hosts to the Dinner club Friday evening. Daffodils decorated the charming rooms and spring place cards disposed the party. Mr. and Mrs. Verne Frazee of St. Louis and Mrs. Gid Housh were guests. Out of town members present were Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Light and Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Hedges of Decatur.

Gid Housh and son Merle came over from Champaign for the week-end.

THE HOUSHES ENTERTAIN.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Housh entertained with a dinner Saturday evening. Daffodils and Easter decorations beautified the table. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gregory, Mrs. Rebecca Housh and Miss Mattie McHenry.

Arthur Warren, who got in the way of a mule's heels last week was able to be in town Saturday.

Mrs. Helen Longenbaugh and son Carl and grandson Charles Byron Wood of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Duffy and Miss Evelyn Scott of Decatur visited Mrs. Elizabeth Jordan and family Sunday.

Peter McCluskey of Decatur was here the last of the week.

Miss Jane Tobie spent the week-end in Cerro Gordo.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Light and daughter Jean were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Andrews.

GARAGE CHANGES HANDS.

Delno Snyder has sold his garage to Scott Sill of Owaneco and gives possession on May first.

Dr. Lensgraf of Stonington visited his brother Dr. C. F. Lensgray Friday.

Miss Anna Mae Birkitt spent the week-end with Rev. and Mrs. F. E. Birkitt and family in Homer.

W. J. Erwin who travels for the Brack Candy company of Chicago was home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Taylor of Shelbyville were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Snyder and family at "The Oaks." On Easter the Snyders had all their children at home.

Rev. E. L. Tobie went to Bloomington Monday to attend the Annual Ministerial Post Graduate association.

Lawrence Heitmeyer had the misfortune to have several teeth knocked out, with a crow-bar, while working on the hard road Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Snyder had a family gathering in their home Sunday.

Mrs. Charles Casey is quite sick with tonsilitis.

J. W. Hill is in Oklahoma on a business trip.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark entertained their children at dinner on Easter Sunday.

Miss Letha Brookshier of Normal university was home for the week-end.

Robert Snyder is home from Captiva Island, Fla., where he attends the Snyder Boys' school, for the Easter vacation.

Church Calendar.

THURSDAY.

The Willing Workers of the English Lutheran church will meet all day Thursday.

The Ladies' Sewing circle of the St. Paul's Lutheran church will meet at The Pines Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies' Aid of the Church of the Brethren will meet Thursday afternoon.

The Sixth ward Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will meet all day Thursday at the church. The Sunday school orchestra will give a concert at the church Thursday evening.

The Ladies' Aid of the Third United Brethren church will meet at the church all day Thursday to prepare for the pitney supper which will be served in the church at 5:30 Thursday evening.

Boy Scouts, troop nineteen, will meet in the First Presbyterian church at 7:15 Thursday evening.

The Ladies' Aid of St. Paul's Methodist church will have the silver social Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Walter Roberts, 744 West Macon. The choir will practice Thursday evening.

The Mothers' class of the First Methodist church will have a pot luck supper in the church at 6:15 Thursday evening. The choir will meet for rehearsal at seven o'clock. Boy Scouts, troop twenty, will meet at 7:15 Thursday evening.

The Eastern division of the Ladies' Aid of Grace Methodist church will meet at the church at 2:30 Thursday afternoon.

The Ladies' Sewing circle of the Antioch Baptist church will meet with Mrs. Ethel King, on North Calhoun, at 2:30 Thursday afternoon.

Boy Scouts of the Congregational church will meet Thursday evening.

The Junior Walther League of St. Johannes' Lutheran church will give an entertainment in the school hall Thursday and Friday nights.

The choir of the Central Church of Christ will rehearse at 7:30 Thursday evening.

Group four of the Westminster church will hold a spring rummage sale Thursday at 328 North Water street.

Boy Scouts, troop thirteen, of the Westminster church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 in the church.

The Ladies' Aid of the Second United Brethren church will meet all day Thursday in the church.

The orchestra of the Riverside Baptist church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 in the church.

Members of the B. Y. P. U. of the Riverside Baptist church will have a social and business meeting Thursday evening at 7:30 in the home of Miss Lucille Dramble, 1149 Roger avenue.

Members of the Heavy Bible class of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday evening at 7:30 in the home of Miss Parker, 1102 West Wood street.

District No. 4 of the First Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Forrest Wikoff, 940 West Decatur street.

The Mission circle of the East Park Baptist church will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30 in the home of Mrs. Dalle Morris, 2008 East Prairie street.

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To Mothers: Musterole is also made in milder form for babies and small children. Ask for Children's Musterole. 35c and $30 in jars and tubes; hospital size, $5.

MUSTEROLE

PIATT CO. COURT NOW IN SESSION

Judge McCoy to Hear Some Cases.

Monticello, April 23—County court convened here Monday with Judge M. R. Davidson presiding.

The case of Virgil Cade, charged with operating a still, was tried Monday. This case was tried last Monday but the jury disagreed. Several other cases are to come up at this term and Judge McCoy of Decatur will preside at some of them.

Circuit court will convene here Thursday, April 24. Judge George A. Sentel will preside. Arguments for a new trial will be heard in the cases of Adkins vs. Miller, and Campbell vs. Cole.

STILL IN JAIL.

Dulvicy Valentine and Joe Papay of Danville, who were arrested Sunday near White Heath and are charged with reckless driving, drunkenness and driving a vehicle while intoxicated, are still in the county jail. They have not yet had a hearing.

E. O. Meacham has purchased the Guy Dittimore barber shop on West Washington street. Mr. Meachem took possession Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Milligan and children, Mac and Louise and Mr. and Mrs. Willard Higgins, spent Sunday evening in Champaign with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Griffith spent the week-end in Tuscola, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luke Miller.

Otis Wiggins of Bement transacted business in Monticello Monday.

Thirty new members were taken into the Presbyterian church Sunday evening.

Miss Bernice Eshelman spent the week-end in Danville, the guest of Miss Sarah Shute.

Mrs. Jewel Price and daughter Miss Lotis, of Decatur were the guests Sunday of Mrs. L. M. Baker and family.

JAP PRINCE CALLS OFF TRIP TO U. S.

New York, April 23—Prince Naruhiko, third son of the emperor of Japan, who has been traveling in Europe, has canceled his trip to the United States, which had been planned for this summer, according to a cablegram received from Cyrus E. Woods, American ambassador to Japan. No reason for the step was given.

ITALY PAYS FULL HONORS TO DUSE

Rome, April 23—Premier Mussolini ordered the Italian ambassador to Washington to proceed to Pittsburgh to pay Italy's homage to the dead tragedienne, Mme Duse.

16 STATES ENTER N. W. ORATORICAL

Chicago, April 23 — Sixteen midwestern states will compete under the auspices of the Interstate Oratorical association at Northwestern university Friday.

RADFORD.

Lester Wheatley who had the misfortune to hurt his foot in a spader is able to walk with the aid of a crutch.

Miss Christianca Kuhle who has taught Fame school for the last two years, will teach the coming year north of Decatur.

Fame school closes May 2 with an entertainment in the evennig.

Rev. Mr. Lobaugh and wife of Westervelt visited with Rev. Mr. Walter and family on Friday.

Mrs. George Jacobs, who has been confined to her bed for the last two months, is a little better.

Rev. Mr. Walter and family attended a supper and program at Locust-Grove church Friday evening.

Mrs. Etta Stunard went to Westervelt to see her aunt, Mrs. Snell, who has since passed away.

Arthur Fathauer was here calling on his sister, Mrs. Harry Ellerich, over Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Fathauer has been laid up with the "flu" but is better.

The Easter service was well attended Sunday morning. Special music was rendered both morning and evening.

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ITALY READY TO RECOGNIZE GREEKS

Rome, April 23 — It is reliably stated here that Italy will recognize the new Greek republic. Italy's representative in Athens, Signor de Facendis, has informed the Greek government that Italy means to re-establish normal relations with Greece. A Greek minister has been appointed to Rome.

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9x12 Axminsters 39.75 —Heavy thick pile Axminster rugs, new Spring designs $55 values, special at each

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75c Drapery Cretonnes, Special at 59c Yard —Bright new Spring colors and designs for bed rooms, dining rooms, living rooms. 75c value, yard 59c

$1.50 White Wool Mop At $1.19 —White six-ft. handle. Can be washed. $1.50 value, 1.19

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WHAT HERE TODAY.

Dolly, a governess, marries Nigel Bretherton for his money. The marriage proves an unhappy one. When war is declared, Nigel is glad to enlist. He leaves Dolly under the care of Mary Furnival. Mary comes to live in Dolly's flat.

When word comes that Nigel has been killed, Dolly marries an old suitor named Durham and together they sail for America. Nigel's elder brother, David, calls to see Nigel's widow. He mistakes Mary for Dolly. Mary is ashamed to tell of Dolly's marriage.

David goes to call on a friend named Fisher who shows David a picture of Nigel's wife. David sees that it is not a picture of the girl he takes for Nigel's widow. Fisher tells David that he does not like Dolly.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"Do the right thing by all means, but don't let her think that you're going to make a tremendous fuss. She's perfectly capable of looking after herself she'll marry again, as I said before. Make her a small allowance—say a couple of hundred a year."

"I'll think it over."

Fisher's sister joined them again, and they talked on ordinary topics till a striking clock warned them that it was past midnight. Dora rose.

"We've all lost our beauty sleep," she said, laughing and glancing at David. "I'm going to bed. David, you're not going to run away from us first thing tomorrow"

"I am afraid I must. I ought to have gone to the Red Grange tonight, there is so much to see to; but I hope we shall see a great deal of each other in the future. You must come down and stay with me, Monty, and bring Dora."

"I should love to come!"

Dora was delighted at the idea; she had once seen Red range and never forgotten it. Already she was wondering if perhaps some day she might not make it her permanent home. David Bretherton was rich, and a somebody, and she had always liked him.

CHAPTER XI.

The Parcel.

UP in his bedroom, he turned on all the lights and propped the little photograph of Nigel and his wife against the dressing-table glass. He stood looking down at it for a moment, then he took the flat gold locket which Mary Furnival had given him from his pocket, and opened it.

With a sort of deliberate curiosity he compared the pictured faces of the two women — the one in the locket, with its steady, almost sad eyes, and the frivolous prettiness of she who had been his brother's wife.

It was not the same woman!

He laid the locket down beside the unmounted photograph, and again opened the letter Nigel had written the night before his death.

Perhaps now he would be able better to understand its imploring incoherence: perhaps now in the light of this new discovery, many things would be made clear.

"Dear Davey," (Nigel's sprawling writing struck his heart with a little pang of remembrance; nobody but Nigel had ever called him 'Davy') — "I have been meaning to write to you ever since I came out to this hell, for hell it is, no matter what the papers say.

"I don't want to grumble— I came of my own free will— but this past day or two I've had the feeling that I shan't ever go back home. So many of the chaps have gone under, and you never know whose turn it will be next.

"I should have liked to have seen you again, old fellow. I hope you weren't very wild over my last letter? I ought to have told you before about my marriage, but it's all been such a mistake.

"Not that I'm blaming Dolly. It's cut both ways, and she hasn't been any happier than I have. We weren't suited: there was another man she really cared for, and I— well, one can see where mistakes are made when it's too late.

"Mary Furnival is with Dolly while I am out here; she's the best woman in the world, and the best friend I've ever had. She'd have pulled me through, if I'd not been such a fool, and you'd have liked her. But it's no use now, or I suppose I shouldn't be writing this at all.

"It's been raining like hell for the past week— hardly a dry moment, and most of us are suffering agonies from rheumatism. Glad one appreciates England after a taste of this!

"Davy: if I never come home — don't think I'm flunking— but if I never come home, and you get a chance, will you tell Mary Furnival that I asked you to thank her for all she's done for me? I never, somehow, realized it till I got away from everyone, and had plenty of time to think. We were such good pals. God bless her!"

After speaking with Mary, and believing her to be his brother's wife, Bretherton had marveled at the half-spoken confession of love for another woman the letter had contained; but now, in the light of what Monty Fisher had said, and what he himself had instinctively guessed, many things were made clear.

Nigel had loved this woman, this Mary Furnival, who had allowed him —David— to believe that she was Nigel's widow; Nigel had realized the mistake of his marriage too late.

Then where— where was Dolly?

It was all a great mystery.

CHAPTER XII.

An Uneventful Life.

DOWN to the time of Nigel Bretherton's death Mary Furnival's life had been uneventful. She could not remember her father, and her mother had died when she was sixteen, leaving her to manage as best she could on the small income of something under a hundred a year.

It had seemed wealth to Mary in those early days; only afterward, when she came to realize that there are things such as board and lodgings and traveling expenses to be paid for besides clothes and simple pleasures, did she understand that she must look round for ways and means by which to supplement her slender income.

An advertisement in a morning paper had led to her finding a place as typist in a City office.

She made no friends, and the advent of Nigel Bretherton into the drab monotony of her life had seemed like a glimpse of Heaven.

He was a friend of her employer's son, and once— pausing on his way through the office where she sat, he had stopped and jokingly offered her a penny for her thoughts.

That had been one of the days when a patch of blue sky was visible above the ugly chimney-pots, and Mary had pointed too it, and answered that she was wondering what it must be like to live in the country, where there was no smoke, and where the sun always shone.

The answer had amused and interested him, even though he told her that there was no place on earth where the sun always shone. She was different from the fluffy, giggling girls of his acquaintance, and one day he hesitatingly asked her to come out and have some tea with him.

And so the curious friendship had started.

No man had ever paid Mary attention before, and it seemed to her ignorance that this was Romance with a capital letter, and the first step to the "Happy-ever-after" Land of which she had hitherto only dreamed.

For four years she had been more than happy and content with his friendship, and then, without a word of warning, her dream castles came clattering to the ground.

Nigel went on a country visit.

He had often been away before, and she had not minded. She had looked forward to his occasional letters, and the joy of his return. But this time, beyond a couple of scribbled postcards, he did not write at all.

The visit, which had been for a week, dragged into two, and when he came back one glance at his face told her the reason for the delay.

He had met the inevitable "other woman."

Little by little, as if he were not quite sure how she would take it, he had told her about Dolly—how pretty she was, how altogether charming.

"Her hair is like copper beech-leaves in the sun," he said eloquently. "I want to marry her more than anything in the world."

For an agonized moment Mary had not been able to answer. For a moment she had closed her eyes, and wondered with a sick feeling of utter despair how she could ever hide from him the truth—the humiliating truth —that she had given him something more than friendship, expecting something more in return.

CHAPTER XIII.

Dolly's Letter.

SHE had stood by him loyally in spite of it all. She had listened to the solemn words that had made him the husband, till death should part them, of a woman who cared nothing for him. She had been that woman's true friend through all the petty bickerings and disillusionments that had followed.

No matter how her heart ached for Nigel, and his bitter disappointment, she never allowed one word or sign of it to escape her. She might have been Dolly's friend for all those four years, instead of his.

And now he was dead, and Dolly had married somebody else, and forgotten him.

It seemed so utterly incredible.

Even now she would sometimes sit with eyes tight shut, and tell herself that when she opened them she would find life all going on as usual —Dolly lolling about the flat, discontented, silent; both of them— or was it only she herself?—listening for the postman's knock with bated breath.

There was no longer anything to dread, nothing even to hope for. Life seemed to flow past her, leaving her standing still in the place where Nigel had fallen.

She woke from a dream of him the morning following David Bretherton's visit, to find a letter from Dolly awaiting her.

It had been written on board ship, and posted at sea.

"I never knew what happiness really was till now." So wrote Dolly with a quill pen and many underlinings. "Robert is so good to me. I believe he really worships the ground I walk on. So different from Nigel!

"Mary, I was a fool not to have realized to begin with how utterly unsuited we were. He never troubled to understand me.

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

HE LAID THE LOCKET BESIDE THE UNMOUNTED PHOTO.

FORSYTH.

Miss Ethel Hays and Miss Mildred Ray of Decatur visited with friends and attended the Easter program at the church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schlens and family spent Easter with the latter's sister, Mrs. H. O. Cooper of Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Cooper and son Frank visited Sunday with Clarence Pollard and family of Cisco.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Green visited Sunday with Noah Luckinbill and family of Argenta.

The choir of the Methodist church rendered a very nice musical program at the church Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker entertained the choir Saturday evening with an egg roast.

A number from here attended Easter services in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Hinkle entertained their children and grandchildren for dinner Easter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stoutenborough of Clinton visited on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charly Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Kenney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nice Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen Lehman and son Philip of La Place spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cox spent Sunday with the former's father, Charley Cox and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Odor of Decatur were guests at the Odor home Sunday.

PUGH FILES NUMBER OF INFORMATIONS

Will Prosecute in Shelby County Court.

Shelbyville, April 23—States Attorney Robert I. Pugh filed information in the county court Monday afternoon against a number of Shelbyville men, who had recently been indicted by the grand jury on charges of violating the prohibition act. When one of the cases was called for trial in the circuit court the test case was dismissed as the indictment did not conform to a recent ruling of the supreme court. The amount of bond fixed in each case is $1,000.

JOHNSON-YOUNG.

Earnest D. Johnson of Mattoon and Miss Helen Louise Young were united in marriage at the home of Miss Young's parents near Gays Saturday evening at eight o'clock, Rev. Ira Blythe, pastor of the Gays Christian church officiated. The attendants were Miss Edith Young and Paul Wetherall. Only the immediate families were present. The couple will go to Mattoon, where they will make their home.

Mrs. Johnson has been employed there as a stenographer in the office of the Telephone Company. Mr. Johnson is employed in the Model bakery.

RETAIN SAYRE IN SCHOOLS.

The Shelbyville school board was reorganized at a meeting of the board Monday night with G. C. Fraker as president and Bert Cutter as secretary. After the organization the meeting was given over to the transaction of regular business. Superintendent R. C. Sayre was re-employed as head of the city schools by the board.

Miss Mary Johnston, daughter of Mrs. Eva Johnson of St. Louis former residents of Shelbyville, was united in marriage to Theodore Cole at Miami, Fla., Saturday, April 19. Mr. Cole is a real estate man at Miami. He formerly lived in St. Louis but for the past few years has been in Miami. Miss Johnston was very well known here where she grew to young womanhood. She is a graduate of the Shelbyville schools. Shortly after she graduated from the Shelbyville high school she and her mother went to St. Louis, where they have since resided.

DANCE AT ELKS CLUB.

More than fifty couples attended a dance at The Elks home Monday night. The Beverly Gardens Orchestra furnished the music. The home was very prettily decorated with spring flowers. Refreshments were served. Members of the committee were Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Steidley, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Isenberg, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Watton, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Garvin, Mr. and Mrs. Kleon Haworth, Mr. and Mrs. Harper Kelley, Miss Okla Sturgis and Miss Claire Shoett.

NOVELTY SHOWER.

A novelty shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Christie Monday night in honor of Mr. and Mrs. John Cox who were married recently. About twenty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Cox were present. Many beautiful and useful gifts were received by the young couple. The hostesses, Misses Alverta Christie, assisted by Mrs. Jack Horn, served dainty refreshments. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Burden, Mr. and Mrs. John Wilburn and daughter, Wanda Madge, Mrs. Francis Newlin, Misses Goldie and Edna Fox, Reta and Ivo Pierson, Grace Murphy, Margaret and Dorothy Pancoast, Elsie Smith, Mary Pierce, Florence Salmon, Bernice Kinnamon, Mrs. Jack Horn, Noble Fitzwater, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Christie, Miss Gertrude Hoot, Theodore Christie and Misses Alverta and Orlena Christie.

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MINISTER RETURNS KLANSMEN'S MONEY

Rev. Gye Park Spurns Offering.

Taylorville, April 23.—When five Klansmen in full regalia entered the Buckley Methodist Episcopal church Sunday evening and handed a letter and $30 to the minister, Rev. Gye Park, he handed the money back to them and said:

"No thanks, I do not care for your money."

The Klansmen turned and left the church without a word.

Rev. Mr. Parks was delivering his Easter evening sermon.

PARK WIDELY KNOWN.

The relation of this incident will be of interest to many throughout central Illinois, as the young minister has held pastorates at Wagoner, Dawson, Ludlow, Argenta, Allerton, Camargo, Arthur, Catlin, Easton, Elkhart and Riverton. He was appointed to the Buckeye church in 1922 by Bishop Nicholson.

INFANT BURIED.

Interment was made in the Oak Hill cemetery Tuesday morning of the body of the three-day-old body of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Newman, West Rich street, that died in the St. Vincent hospital Monday afternoon.

PAVING CONTRACT.

The contract for the construction of a half mile of paving on West Vandeveer street was let Monday to the Alsina Construction company of Springfield. It will cost the property owners $5.65 a foot.

MAY FESTIVAL.

The Taylorville Woman's Club will close its year with its usual May festival, which will consist of a garden convention and banquet at the Methodist Episcopal church Thursday, May 8, at 6 o'clock.

A one-act play, "The Flower Shop," will be presented under the direction of Mrs. S. E. Herdman.

Student members of the club under the direction of Miss Nellie Thompson will present the comic opera, "The Barber of Seville," in costume.

G. E. PETERS DIES.

Word has been received here of the death of G. E. Peters, seventy-seven years old, at his home at Caldwell, Idaho. Mr. Peters formerly lived in Taylorville but moved west with his family several years ago. His wife preceded him in death July 31, 1921.

The following children survive: William Peters, Roseburg, Ore.; Mrs. Maud Ferguson, Homedale, Idaho; E. E. Peters, Edinburg; Mrs. Myrtle Stephens, Taylorville; Mrs. Goldie Nash, Bakersfield, Cal.

Funeral services were held in Caldwell, Idaho, Tuesday.

ROWLEY-MAHER.

The marriage of Miss Nellie Rowley of Kincaid and Francis Maher of Harrisburg occurred at Kincaid St. Ella Catholic church Monday morning. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Fr. Lapton.

Following a short honeymoon trip, the young couple will make their home in Harrisburg where the bridegroom is employed in the mine.

Charles C. Wilson let the contract Tuesday for a two-story frame residence to be erected on West Vine street, to J. K. Rhoades. The structure when completed will cost about $5,000.

CLOSE RE-ELECTED.

A. B. Close has been re-elected as principal of the Taylorville high school for the coming year. This will make his third year as principal and will make his sixth year in the school.

LINCOLN LOSES ON RAILWAY OPERATION

Deficit $34,139 in Last Five Years.

Lincoln, Ill., April 23.— Municipal street railway operation in Lincoln has been conducted at a loss of $84,139 during the period of the last five years, or a loss amounting to more than half of the total bonded indebtedness of $65,000, according to an adult report, submitted to the city council last night by F. W. Nelson, of Peoria, certified public accountant, employed by the city's finance committee to audit the history of municipal railway operation here.

LOSS STARTLING.

While there is little new developed by the audit, the loss figures are rather startling. The auditor includes depreciation charges and bond and interest retirement in his operation cost figures, as is customary in figuring street railway business, but these are items that under municipal ownership here have not been charged against the city's property.

It is explained in the audit that the actual cash receipts for the various months and years are more than the actual cash expenditures for these periods, but only in this respect is the railway meeting bare daily running expenses. When depreciation of the property, bond and interest charges, legal advice and office help are included in the costs, there is a large loss.

MUIRHEAD DEFEATS TOZER, 100 TO 31

Donald Tozer, the 14.1 pocket billiard crack from Macon, was given the surprise of his life Tuesday night by Everett Muirhead in the first block of 100 points in the play-off of the St. Nicholas Hotel parlor tourney. The Decatur man was right and bested Tozer, 100 to 31, the worst defeat he has ever suffered since becoming one of the top-notchers in this section of the state.

Tozer never had a chance Tuesday night, for Muirhead required but twenty-three innings to go out. His high run was eighteen and the youngster's twelve.

The pale meet tonight in the final block. If Tozer wins he will have to register 169 while Muirhead needs but 100.

DEEDS RECORDED

B. E. Converse to H. H. Brockman, lot 12, block 1, Lenland Heights; $1.

R. R. Montgomery to E. D. Dogue, lot 1, R. R. Montgomery's reserve; $1.

CHICAGO'S ART INSTITUTE HAS GREAT PIECES

Some of World's Best in Collection.

Chicago, April 23.—Some of the most valuable art collections in the world are housed in the Art Institute of Chicago, its directors claim.

The most valuable single piece of art is Rembrandt's "Portrait of a Child," which is valued at $250,000. It is in the Field collection.

Millett's "Bringing Home a New Born Calf" is almost of equal value. The Institute has been assured that the French government will pay $200,000 for the canvas.

"Stoke-By-Nayland," one of the finest Constables on exhibition, is valued at $150,000. It is a part of the Kimball collection.

TURNER AND COROTS.

Turner's "Dutch Fishing Boats," one of the largest canvases in the Institute, is estimated to be worth $150,000. A number of Corots, including "Bathing Nymphs" and "Landscape," and Rembrandt's portrait of his father, are claimed to be worth $100,000 each. There is a large number of other paintings ranging in value from $10,000 to $100,000.

The most valuable piece of sculpture is said to be Abin Polasek's "Statue of a Sower," a bronze purchased for the Institute by the Friends of American Art. Lorado Taft's "Solitude of the Soul" is another particularly valuable piece of sculpture.

The collection of bronze casts from figures found in the ruins of Pompeii and Herculaneum is one of the most complete in the world.

DRAW LARGE CROWDS.

The water color exhibition and Sargent's display are drawing large crowds to the Art Institute. The work of students of the Art School also attracts much attention. The school has a registration of nearly 5,000. It occupies the entire ground floor.

Twenty-five per cent of the leading artists and illustrators of the United States are declared by officials to have been connected at one time with the school either as instructors or students.

New galleries being opened in the Hutchinson wing are inviting many visitors. A series of period rooms are being prepared in the new wing. The William O. Goodman Theatre of Dramatic Art and the Alexander McKinlock Memorial Court are under construction and will soon be open to the public. A children's gallery is now being installed.

MURDER VERDICT IN CHICAGO FIRE

Coroner's Jury Names Two Suspects.

Chicago, April 23.—A verdict of murder by arson was returned Tuesday by a coroner's jury against Samuel Moore and Leo Unell, partners and tenants of the Curran hall, where eight firemen and a civilian lost their lives last Friday night in a fire, which was claimed to be of incendiary origin.

The jury recommended that both men be held to the grand jury.

$500,000 FUND.

Chicago, April 23.—A fund of $500,000 will be raised to care for dependents of firemen and policemen killed in line of duty, according to plans of citizens and city officials. Theatrical benefits have been arranged to start the initial subscriptions and first payments will be made to the families of eight firemen who died last week in a fire.

MRS. CARROLL DIES IN TAYLORVILLE

Widow of Late Dr. C. L. Carroll.

Taylorville, April 23.—Mrs. Elvira Carroll, eighty years old, died at 3 a. m. Wednesday at her home, 408 East Morgan street, after a short illness. The funeral will be held Friday afternoon, with burial in Oak Hill cemetery.

Mrs. Carroll was the widow of the late Dr. C. L. Carroll, to whom she was married in 1867, and who died Dec. 26, 1919. She was born Nov. 20, 1842, in Dover, Ohio, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan France. Immediately after her marriage to Dr. Carroll, they came to Williamsville, Ill., later moving to Edinburg, where they remained nineteen years. In 1890 they came to Taylorville, where they lived until death. She is survived by two daughters, Miss Carrie Carroll of Galesburg and Mrs. Mary C. Miller, who resided with her mother here.

Mrs. Carroll was a member of the Methodist Episcopal church and of the W. R. C.

JAPANESE DIET IS CALLED FOR JUNE 25

Tokio, April 23.—(AP)—The cabinet has decided to convoke an extraordinary session of the Diet June 25. The regular session was dissolved Jan. 31, last and the extraordinary session was decided upon some months ago. It is not being convoked because of the immigration problem.

BIG FOUR CHANGES ARE ANNOUNCED

To Become Effective On May 1.

Mattoon, April 23.—Several changes in the officiary of the Big Four railroad were announced Tuesday night, the changes to become effective on May 1.

E. M. Costin resigned as general manager, and is succeeded by C. S. Millard, assistant general superintendent at Indianapolis.

D. T. White, superintendent of the Cincinnati division, succeeds Millard.

E. F. Hayes, superintendent of the St. Louis division, with headquarters at Mattoon, becomes superintendent of the Cincinnati division, with headquarters at Springfield, Ohio. Hayes is succeeded at Mattoon by F. N. Reynolds, who has been superintendent of terminals at Indianapolis.

E. N. Kelley, who has been superintendent of terminals at Cincinnati, succeeds Reynolds at Indianapolis. S. V. Bevington will succeed Kelley at Cincinnati.

E. W. McVicker, trainmaster of the Chicago division, succeeds Bevington, and L. A. Champ, trainmaster of terminals at Toledo, takes McVicker's place.

MICHIGAN GRAD, CLASS OF '53, DIES

Boulder, Colo., April 23.—Dr. George W. Carter, ninety-seven years old, said to have been the oldest living alumnus of the University of Michigan, pioneer physician and Civil war veteran, died here today.

Dr. Carter was graduated from the Michigan university medical college in 1853. He practiced medicine in Davenport and Marshalltown, Iowa, for many years, and came to Boulder in 1906.

$250,000 LOSS TO RAILROAD SHOPS

Fort Scott, Kan., April 23.—Fire, which recently destroyed four units of the Missouri Pacific shops, caused a loss estimated at $250,000. About three hundred employes have been affected and no announcement has been made about rebuilding.

STATE HOG CHOLERA EXPERT TO COAST

Springfield, Ill., April 23 — Dr James McDonald, federal veterinarian, in charge of hog cholera control work in Illinois for the last seven years, has been ordered to Sacramento, Cal., to aid in combatting the outbreak of foot and mouth disease. Dr. McDonald will leave for California Wednesday.

JAP FLEET GOES ON PRACTICE TRIP

London, April 23—The British admiralty has received a report that the Japanese fleet left its usual bases Monday, but it is believed it left only for a practice cruise as customary at this season.

KORETZ CREDITORS TO GET PAYMENT

Chicago, April 23 — Within six weeks some of the creditors of "Big Hearted" Leo Koretz, the fugitive $2,000,000 Buyano oil swindler, will receive a first payment on their claims, according to Referee Harry Parkin.

DEEP CUTS IN COAT PRICES TOMORROW

Women who choose new coats tomorrow at Gebhart's will be in luck.

H. S. Gebhart Company has combined, with an immense special purchase, nearly all of the Gebhart regular stock for a sensational sale Thursday, Friday and Saturday. $18 to $25 coats, $12.75! Up to $30, $35 and $39 coats, $14.75! Extra size coats, 38 to 50 and 42½ to 50½, reduced to $19.75! Up to $50 coats for $24.75! More than 300 coats to select from—the style classics of the Spring season.—Adv.

Church News

Friendly Circle Bible Class.

Mrs. John Hahn was elected president of the Friendly Circle Bible class of Grace Methodist Sunday school Tuesday afternoon in a meeting held in the church parlors. Other officers are as follows:

Vice president—Mrs. William Anderson.

Treasurer—Mrs. William Bridwell.

Assistant treasurer—Mrs. L. H. Johnson.

Secretary—Mrs. H. L. Montroy.

Assistant secretary—Mrs. Nellie Personett.

Twenty-five members attended the meeting which was presided over by Mrs. Anderson. Mrs. H. R. Andrews led the devotions. Thirty-five calls were made during the last month. The secretary's annual report showed a total of 288 calls for the year and twenty-two new members.

After the business session, refreshments were served by Mrs. A. A. Hill, Mrs. M. Quimby, Mrs. John Hinton and Mrs. Anderson.

About thirty-five people attended the reception and social time which the General Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church had Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Flora Lewman, 1460 West Decatur. During the afternoon Mrs. Doris Lewman Gillespie sang a number of selections. The hostesses served refreshments.

The Woman's Bible class of the First Methodist Sunday school will have its all day sewing Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. L. Augustine, 331 East Center. A pot luck dinner will be served.

Mrs. Walter Roberts, 764 West Macon, will be hostess to the Ladies' Aid society of St. Paul's Methodist church for the regular silver social Thursday afternoon. All members of the church are invited.

NIANTIC PATRONS HEAR PROGRAM

Niantic, April 23.—The following program was given at the Patron-Teacher meeting held at the school house Monday evening:

Address—Mrs. Cora B. Ryman, superintendent of the schools of Macon county.

Selection—Orchestra.

Song—Primary pupils.

Reading—Ruth Sweet.

Umbrella drill—Third grade.

Song, "Rainbow Fairies"—Little girls.

Dramatization, "The Cap That Mother Made"—Madeline Faris.

Song, "Springtime"—Fifth grade.

Reading—Catherine Moore.

Community Song, "Carry Me Back to Old Virginia."

Mrs. H. Timmons, who lives with her daughter, Mrs. Amanda Eicholtz, fell Saturday morning and broke her wrist. The Home Bureau will meet with Mrs. Ella Moore Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. C. Monical was a Decatur visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Anna Williams spent Sunday with her brother, C. W. Overlocser and family at Clinton.

DIRECTORS ELECTED.

At an election here Saturday J. B. Faris and Henry Bruce were elected directors for the Community High school.

The Loyal Women's Bible class of the Christian church will meet with Mrs. Walter Pritchett Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. John Dingaman is at home from St. John's hospital in Springfield.

Mrs. Troy Garriott and son of Harristown spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Anna Baden and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wree of Decatur visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. E. McNamara of Springfield spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Kitch and family.

Mrs. May Kellar of Decatur visited her daughter, Mrs. Will Kitch and family Tuesday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tippit, April 17, a daughter.

Miss Emma Beall, who attends school at the University of Illinois at Urbana, spent her Easter vacation at the home of her parents.

Mrs. U. Booker and children of Springfield spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Kizer.

Mrs. Jerry Green visited her daughter, Ethel Green, who is very sick at the Macon County Sanatorium, Monday.

Miss Esther Wren, who attends school at Normal, spent her Easter vacation at the home of her parents. She was accompanied home by Miss Jane Baird, who also attends Normal.

NEW ZEALAND RAIL WORKERS STRIKE

Wellington, N. Z., April 23— The railway men throughout New Zealand struck Tuesday for higher wages. All service is at a standstill. Thousands of Easter holiday makers have been stranded away from their homes.

PRESBYTERY IN SESSION AT PANA

Sullivan Minister Is Elected Moderator.

Pana, April 23—Rev. Mr. McLeod, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Sullivan, was elected moderator of the Mattoon Presbytery Tuesday night, in its session at Pana, succeeding Rev. Marion C. Hull of Mattoon.

The Presbytery, in which forty-five churches and towns were represented, opened its session at noon Tuesday in the First Presbyterian church here. Routine business was given attention, and at 3 o'clock the session was thrown open to the public.

Rev. S. B. Harry, pastor of the First Presbyterian church at Taylorville, delivered a splendid address on "The Compensations of the Ministry."

In the evening session Rev. M. C. Hull of Mattoon delivered the customary doctrinal sermon to an audience that filled the church. Special music was given by the choir. In this service also, H. O. Stevens of Iowa, a recent graduate from the McCormick Theological Seminary in Chicago, was ordained to the ministry of the Presbyterian church.

AGED SPINSTER DIES.

Miss Julia Delaney, a well known resident of the Buckeye Prairie neighborhood near Rosemond, died at 4 a. m. Wednesday, after several months of failing health. She was a daughter of the late Patrick and Julia Delaney, the former dying in 1898 and the latter in 1916.

She was born Feb. 28, 1856, and at her death was sixty-eight years, one month and twenty-five days old. She leaves two brothers and two sisters, William, John and Hannah Delaney, with whom she lived, and Mrs. Mary Fitzpatrick, a resident of the same neighborhood.

The funeral will be held at 9:30 Friday morning at St. Patrick's church in this city, by Rev. Fr. J. F. Moroney. Burial will be in Calvary cemetery.

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M—LOCAL*	4:58 a. m.
LOCAL	6:25 a. m.
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S—LIMITED	10:30 a. m.
LOCAL	12:55 p. m.
S—LIMITED	2:20 a. m.
LOCAL	4:55 p. m.
LIMITED	7:15 p. m.
X—LOCAL	11:00 p. m.

WEST-BOUND

LOCAL	6:00 a. m.
LOCAL	7:05 a. m.
LIMITED	8:15 a. m.
LOCAL	11:00 a. m.
F—LIMITED	12:01 p. m.
LIMITED	2:20 p. m.
F—LIMITED	3:45 p. m.
LOCAL	4:30 p. m.
LOCAL	7:10 p. m.
LIMITED	8:30 p. m.

NORTH-BOUND

LOCAL	4:45 a. m.
LOCAL	7:00 a. m.
LIMITED	9:15 a. m.
LOCAL	11:10 a. m.
LIMITED	1:00 p. m.
LOCAL	2:45 p. m.
LOCAL	5:10 p. m.
LOCAL	8:10 p. m.
S—LOCAL	11:00 p. m.

NOTE:—*Exc. Sunday; M—Monticello only; X Champaign only; B—Bloomington only; S—stops only at Carrollton, Bement, Monticello, Champaign, Urbana and Danville. Buses also will be provided.

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SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City, as follows, to-wit:

The improvement of the Roadway of Cottage Hill Avenue from a point 29 feet east of the west line of South Oakland Avenue, west 640 feet, to the west line of Block 3, Simpson's 2nd Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois, for the full width of 26 feet between curbs, by excavating, grading and preparing subgrade, by placing thereon a 5 inch Portland cement concrete foundation of 1 part Portland cement, 3 parts sand and 6 parts stone or gravel; by placing thereon a 1½ inch asphaltic binder and thereon a 1½ inch wearing surface of sheet asphalt, by installing necessary combination curb and gutter, by removal of a portion of present curb and pavement of Oakland Avenue, by the necessary removal and relaying of sidewalks, the rebuilding of present catch basin at Oakland Avenue, and necessary grading of parkings.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's Office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 7th day of May A. D. 1924 at the hour of 9:00 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 21st day of April A. D., 1924.

CHARLES T. KELLAM,
Commissioner.

LEE BOLAND, Corporation Counsel.

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The improvement of the roadway of Haworth Avenue from the south line of Forrest Avenue, to the north line of Tuttle Street, and Tuttle Street from the east line of Haworth Avenue to the east line of Oakland Avenue, both for the full width of 26 feet between curbs, and including these portions of Haworth Avenue and Tuttle Street, from the curb lines to the lot lines thereof, for the full width between curbs of 26 feet at all intersecting streets, and for the full width of 13 feet between curbs at the first alley north of Tuttle street running east from Haworth Avenue and 16 feet between curbs at all other intersecting alleys, by excavating, grading and preparing subgrade, by placing thereon a 5 inch Portland cement concrete foundation of 1 part Portland cement, 3 parts sand and 6 parts stone or gravel; by placing thereon an asphaltic binder 1½ inches in thickness with a wearing surface of sheet asphalt 1½ inches in thickness; by installing the necessary combination curb and gutter, catch basins and tile drains, necessary removal and laying of sidewalks at intersecting streets; and the necessary grading of all parkings, etc.

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Long Week End Mark Of Giants is Broken

First Time Since 1922 That McGraw's Club Has Not Topped League on Sunday Morning.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.
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New York, April 23.—The New York Giants today were in first place in the National League race but the little slip by which they dropped into second place over the week-end cost them a record they had held continuously for more than a year.

Up until Saturday, when the Chicago club temporarily took the league ascendency away from them, the Giants had not come to a week-end out of the lead since July 29, 1922. This is the longest week end league leadership on record in the National and so far as available records show, in organized baseball.

ONLY FEW HOURS.

The tough part of it for the Giants was that the very next day—Sunday—after they had been passed by Chicago, they again took the leadership. If that 24-hours could only be eliminated they would be where they finished in 1922 and started and finished in 1923. It is a coincidence that it was the Chicago Cubs who stood between them and the top in 1919.

But for all their lost record, and whether the other seven clubs like it or not, the Giants today are as good, or better than they were in 1923. They are an accurate fielding, timely hitting, fast footed club. In speed they are about as they were last year. If they can't hold their present pace they will be ousted again from the top, but just now they are showing plenty of stability. They have not slugged the ball, but they have been hitting when hits meant most, and they have been able to take the extra bases their hits entitled them to.

PITCHERS SURPRISE.

Their pitchers, presumed to be their weakness, have held the opposing teams to 34 hits in six games. They have played only Brooklyn and Boston, it is true, both of which were discounted at the beginning of the year, but they have played them exactly as they have played Brooklyn and Boston before, and with about the same results. It has been the ruthless ripping of the Giants into the second division in the past that has been one of their best forces for success.

If the young pitchers of the Giants can improve, the staff of pitchers is as good as that of any team in the league. This is the time of year when young pitchers are presumed to have palpitation of the whole nervous system, but the kids with the Giants must have been fed on baseball paregoric, for they are weathering every game beautifully.

GRANTHAM GONE DAFFY.

While Pittsburgh and Cincinnati are sawing off and Chicago tending toward the balance of power, the Giants, back in the lead, are determined to start West on top and to stay there.

Grantham of the Cubs has gone daffy in the first six games of the season. In the first four games he accepted eight chances per game. In the fifth he accepted nine and in the sixth eleven. There never has been anything like that record and it begins to look as if he charms the ball and brings it his way.

HARRY KIPKE WILL COACH AT "MIZZOU"

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 23.—Harry Kipke, the greatest athlete who ever enrolled at Michigan, announced Tuesday that he had accepted a coaching job at the University of Missouri for next year. He will be head coach of baseball, and assistant coach in football and basketball, and will take up his duties Sept. 1.

During the last few months Kipke has received numerous offers in the coaching line from colleges all over the country, but the most attractive offer came from Missouri. Chester Brewer, in charge of athletics at that school, was formerly athletic director at M. A. C. and has always been an admirer of Kipke's able athletic prowess.

Kipke is at present a member of the Michigan baseball squad and will earn his ninth varsity letter.

CARDS-PIRATES STAGE BATFEST

Reds Make It Three in a Row from Chicago Cubs.

St. Louis, April 23—A triple with the bases filled, a double and a home run gave Pittsburgh six runs in the fourth inning Tuesday and the Pirates defeated the Cardinals 10 to 7. In the final game of the series. Dyer was forced from the mound in the fourth with an injured hand. Roger Hornsby, Cardinal second baseman, got two home runs with bases empty both times.

Pittsburgh—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Maranville, 2b	5	2	4	1	2	0
Carey, cf	5	2	2	6	0	0
Higbee, lf	4	1	0	1	0	1
Traynor, 3b	5	2	3	0	1	0
Barnhart, rf	3	1	2	1	0	0
Wright, ss	4	0	0	4	3	0
Grimm, 1b	3	0	1	10	1	0
Schmidt, c	3	1	1	3	0	0
Kremer, p	4	1	0	1	2	0
Totals	34	10	13	27	11	1
St. Louis—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Flack, rf	2	1	0	1	0	0
Douthit, cf	3	1	2	0	0	0
Smith, lf	4	1	1	1	2	0
Hornsby, 2b	3	2	2	1	2	0
Bottomley, 1b	5	0	3	11	0	0
Freigau, 3b	5	0	1	2	2	0
Mueller, rf	4	0	0	4	0	0
L. Bell, ss	4	0	0	4	1	0
Clemons, c	1	0	0	0	0	0
Vick, c	3	1	3	3	2	0
Dyer, p	1	0	0	0	3	0
H. Bell, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
Berly, p	0	0	0	0	2	0
xTopporer	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxSherdel	1	0	1	0	0	0
xxxBludes	0	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	7	15	27	15	0

xBatted for H. Bell in seventh.
xxBatted for Berly in ninth.
xxxBatted for Sherdel in ninth.

Pittsburgh	202 600 000—10
St. Louis	000 201 013—7

Two-base hits—Traynor 2, Barnhart, Maranville, Vick, Bottomley.
Three-base hit—Carey.
Home runs—Barnhart, Hornsby 2.
Stolen bases—Carey, Higbee, Traynor.
Double play—Vick to Hornsby.
Bases on balls—Off Dyer 2, off H. Bell 1, off Berly 1, off Kremer 1.
Hits—Off Dyer, 10 in 3 2-3, off Berly, 1 in 2; off Bell, 2 in 3 1-3.
Struck out—By H. Bell 2, by Berly 2.
Losing pitcher—Dyer.
Umpires—Wilson and Klem.
Time—1:45.

CLASSY CONTEST.

Cincinnati, April 23—Cincinnati made it three straight from Chicago by winning the final game of the series Tuesday 3 to 2. Though the field was soft and the weather very cold, both teams played fast and errorless ball.

Chicago—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Statz, cf	4	1	1	2	0	0
Adams, ss	4	0	1	2	1	0
Grantham, 2b	2	1	2	2	4	0
Grimes, 1b	4	0	1	9	0	0
Felbert, 2b	4	0	0	2	2	0
Miller, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
xBarrett	1	0	0	0	0	0
Heathcote, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Grigsby, rf	1	0	1	1	0	0
O'Farrell, c	3	0	1	6	2	0
Kaufmann, p	2	0	0	0	1	0
xxCritter	1	0	0	0	0	0
Blake, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	31	2	8	24	11	0

xBatted for Miller in ninth.
xxBatted for Kaufmann in eighth.

Cincinnati—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Burns, rf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Egbert, 1b	3	0	0	17	2	0
Harper, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Duncan, lf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Hargrave, c	4	0	1	1	3	0
Bohne, 2b	4	1	1	3	3	0
Rhodes, 3b	3	1	1	1	3	0
Caveney, ss	3	1	2	2	6	0
Mays, p	3	0	1	1	6	0
Totals	27	3	7	27	23	0

Chicago	100 000 010—2
Cincinnati	000 030 00x—3

Two-base hits—Bohne, Caveney.
Double play—Grantham to Adams to Grimes.
Bases on balls—Off Mays 1, off Kaufmann 3, off Blake 1.
Struck out—By Mays 1, by Kaufmann 4, by Blake 1.
Hits—Off Kaufmann, 8 in 7; off Blake, 2 in 1.
Losing pitcher—Kaufmann.
Umpires—Pfirman, Powell and Moran.
Time—1:37.

DETROIT CLUB GRABS SERIES

Trims Browns, 8 to 4—White Sox Lose, 7 to 6.

Detroit, April 23—Earl Whitehill was effective Tuesday and Detroit made a clean sweep of the series of three games by beating St. Louis, 8 to 4. Wildness by Bayne and Lyons helped the Detroit offense. St. Louis scored on a run and Detroit made two by means of the double steal.

St. Louis—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Tobin, rf	4	0	1	0	0	0
Evans, lf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Sisler, 1b	4	0	1	8	0	0
McManus, 2b	4	1	0	7	4	0
Jacobson, cf	3	2	0	2	0	0
Collins, c	3	1	2	4	1	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	1	2	2	1
Ellerbe, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	1
Bayne, p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Lyons, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Veigt, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxMcMillan	1	0	1	0	0	0
xxSevereid	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	4	7	24	13	2
Detroit—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Blue, 1b	4	1	0	7	0	0
Cobb, cf	3	2	1	8	0	0
Fothergill, lf	3	2	2	3	0	0
Heilmann, rf	3	2	1	2	0	0
Pratt, 2b	3	0	2	3	0	0
Rigney, ss	3	0	1	1	2	1
Jones, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	0
Bassler, c	2	0	0	2	1	0
Whitehill, p	4	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	30	8	8	27	6	1

xBatted for Bayne in 8th.
xxBatted for Veight in 9th.

St. Louis	010 000 003—4
Detroit	101 000 03x—8

Two-base hit—Pratt.
Three-base hit—Fothergill.
Double play—Rigney to Blue.
Bases on balls—Off Bayne 5, Lyons 4, Whitehill 2.
Struck out—By Bayne 3, Whitehill 1.
Hits—Off Bayne, 8 in 7 innings; Lyons, none in 1-3; Veigt, none in 2-3.
Losing pitcher—Bayne.
Umpires—Ormsby, Hildebrand and Moriarity.
Time—2:27.

INDIANS WIN IN NINTH.

Chicago, April 23—Sherrod Smith, smashed one of Hollis Thurston's slow pitches to center for a single after two men were out in the tenth inning and gave Cleveland a seven to six victory over Chicago. The Indians batted Blankenship hard in the eighth inning and took a commanding lead but the locals playing an uphill battle drove Coveleskie off the hill and tied the count in the ninth.

Cleveland—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Jamison, lf	5	0	3	2	0	0
Stephenson, 2b	6	1	1	2	1	0
Speaker, cf	4	1	2	4	1	0
Sewell, p	3	1	2	3	3	0
Burns, 1b	4	0	0	10	3	0
Summa, rf	5	2	2	1	0	0
Lutzke, 3b	4	1	1	2	3	0
Myatt, c	5	1	3	1	0	0
Coveleskie, p	3	0	1	0	2	0
Smith, p	1	0	1	1	1	0
Totals	41	7	16	30	14	0
Chicago—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Mostil, cf	6	0	3	2	0	0
Hooper, rf	5	0	0	3	0	0
Collins, 2b	5	1	2	5	3	0
Sheely, 1b	5	1	2	11	0	0
Kamm, 3b	4	2	3	0	4	1
Barrett, lf	4	0	3	1	1	0
McClellan, ss	5	0	1	3	3	0
Crouse, c	3	0	1	5	1	1
Blankenship, p	3	0	0	0	2	0
xPalk	1	0	0	0	0	0
Thurston, p	1	0	0	0	1	0
xxSchalk	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	46	6	15	30	15	2

xBatted for Blankenship in 8th.
xxBatted for Crouse in 10th.

Cleveland	000 000 000 1—7
Chicago	000 001 005 0—6

Two-base hits—Myatt, Mostil, Barrett, Speaker, Sewell, Sheely.
Three-base hits—Myatt, Barrett.
Double play—Sewel to Burns.
Bases on balls—Off Coveleskie 3, off Blankenship 1.
Struck out—By Blankenship 1, by Coveleskie 1.
Hits—Off Blankenship, 12 in 8 innings; off Thurston, 4 in 2; off Coveleskie, 15 in 8 2-3; off Smith none in 1 1-3.
Winning pitcher—Smith.
Losing pitcher—Thurston.
Umpires—Holmes and Owens.
Time—2:01.

RICE HAS BAD DAY.

Washington, April 23—New York broke even in the series with Washington by taking the final of the series here today, 6 to 3. Errors by Rice paved the way for half of the visitors' runs. Hoyt proved strong in the pinches after the first inning.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
New York	011 010 000—	3	14	1
Washington	200 100 000—	3	7	3

Hoyt and Schang; Zahniser, McGraw, Wingfield and Ruel.

Red Hughes Peered.

Danville, Ill., April 23—Kalamazoo defeated Danville here today in a six inning game featured only by the thick-headedness of the locals' bass running.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Kalamazoo	200 002—	4	12	2
Danville	000 300—	3	4	6

Batteries—Burkett, Hughes and Pierce; Padgett, Etten, Payne and Cady, Tyrrell, Denendahl.

STANDINGS

NATIONAL.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	5	1	.833
Cincinnati	5	2	.714
Chicago	4	3	.571
Brooklyn	3	3	.500
Pittsburgh	3	4	.429
St. Louis	3	5	.375
Boston	1	3	.250
Philadelphia	1	3	.250

AMERICAN.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	5	1	.833
Chicago	4	3	.667
Boston	3	3	.500
Philadelphia	3	3	.500
New York	3	4	.429
Washington	3	4	.429
Cleveland	2	3	.400
St. Louis	1	6	.143

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis	6	1	.857
Kansas City	5	1	.833
Milwaukee	3	3	.500
Louisville	3	4	.429
Minneapolis	3	4	.429
Columbus	2	4	.333
St. Paul	2	5	.286
Toledo	1	3	.250

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

NATIONAL.

Pittsburgh, 10; St. Louis, 7.
Cincinnati, 3; Chicago, 2.
Brooklyn at Philadelphia, rain.
Boston at New York, rain.

AMERICAN.

Detroit, 8; St. Louis, 4.
New York, 6; Washington, 3.
Cleveland, 7; Chicago, 6. (ten innings).
Philadelphia at Boston, rain.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Kansas City, 7; Toledo, 4.
Indianapolis, 7; St. Paul, 2.
No other games played.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Baltimore, 7; Syracuse, 3.
No other games played.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

New Orleans, 5; Atlanta, 3.
Mobile, 11; Birmingham, 5.
Memphis, 14; Nashville, 2.
Chattanooga, 7; Little Rock, 3.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Dallas, 6; Wichita Falls, 4.
Houston, 9; Galveston, 8.
Fort Worth, 5; Shreveport, 0.
San Antonio, 8; Beaumont, 5.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Wichita, 7; Des Moines, 6.
Oklahoma City, 8; Omaha, 4.
Denver, 6; St. Joseph, 5.
Tulsa, 15; Lincoln, 8.

PACIFIC COAST.

San Francisco, 9; Vernon, 5.
Portland, 7; Salt Lake City, 4.
Oakland, 5; Los Angeles, 4.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE.

NATIONAL.

St. Louis at Chicago.
Philadelphia at Boston.
No other games scheduled.

AMERICAN.

Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul at Toledo.
Minneapolis at Columbus.
Kansas City at Louisville.
Milwaukee at Indianapolis.

TIMELY TIPS to AMATEURS

SAYS JACK BENTLEY,
Pitcher, New York Giants.

My opening tip to the amateur ball player is, select the position you like best and stick to it.

Don't let them shift you around. The utility player never gets as far as the regular star, no matter how great his ability.

I made the mistake of doing other things besides pitching, simply because I am fortunate enough to be a better batter than the average pitcher.

My hitting has caused me to be used in the outfield, at first base and as pinch hitter.

While I am listed as a pitcher, I prefer first base, since that position gets you into the game regularly.

My one best tip to the amateur is be original. If you have a peculiar style that isn't regarded as good form, but gets results, stick to it.

Hans Wagner had his own peculiar style, yet was one of the game's greatest infielders.

They say my position at the bat is all wrong, yet I have done pretty well as a hitter. Any time I try to perfect my form, my hitting goes wrong. It's a mistake. Be original.

ILLINOIS NOSES OUT PURDUE NINE

Ponting Delivers Pinch Hit in Ninth Frame.

Urbana, Ill., April 23.—Illinois opened its Big Ten Conference baseball season Tuesday afternoon by defeating Purdue, 6 to 5, in a slow game, featured by a home run by Captain Roettger of Illinois. Purdue played errorless ball, compared to three errors by the Illini. Captain Roettger, twirling for Illinois, struck out ten Boilermakers, while Captain Campbell of Purdue struck out two.

Purdue started the scoring in the third frame, when Taube walked and Alsopp doubled, scoring Taube. Purdue annexed three more in the fifth. Taube was hit by a pitched ball, Alsopp went to first on Hull's error, Dearmond reached first on a fielder's choice while Taube was tagged at third. Holmes sent a pretty one to left field, scoring Alsopp, and Holmes duplicated the feat, scoring Dearmond and Holmes.

PONTING STARTS IT.

Illinois registered a tally in the third inning, another in the sixth, and tied the count at 5 all when they brought in three more runs in the seventh, when Roettger drove out his home run.

The winning Illini run was scored in the ninth frame, when Ponting batted for "Red" Grange. Ponting hit safely and Stahl ran for him. Jestes was out catcher to first, Stahl taking second on the play. He went to third on a passed ball. Hull, head of the Illini batting list, singled and brought in the winning run.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Illinois	001 001 201—	6	8	3
Purdue	001 030 100—	5	4	0

Batteries: For Illinois—Roettger and Robinson; for Purdue—Campbell and Menke.

COLLEGE BASEBALL.

Lafayette, 8; Geneseo, 2.
Dubuque (M. V. L.), 4; U. of Dubuque 4.
Illinois, 6; Purdue, 5.
Penn State, 11; North Carolina, 3.
Iowa, 8; Cedar Rapids, 4.
Orchthorpe, 18; Wofford, 6.
Virginia, 2; George, 1.

College Player Drowned.

Richmond, Va., April 23.—Walter Merle Bixby of Blakely, W. V., second baseman on the University of Richmond baseball team, was drowned Tuesday when a canoe in which he was paddling overturned in West Hampton lake.

PINKEY MAY BE MINUS TITLE

Outpointed On Coast—Argues Crown Not at Stake.

BY FAIR PLAY.
(Copyright, 1924.)

New York, April 23.—Pinkey Mitchell is the subject of a good story that came from the Pacific Coast today. The elongated Milwaukeean took a trip to the Far West and finally landed in Frisco, where he announced himself as the junior welterweight champion of the world.

As a matter of fact Pinkey has been called that—or at least he has so called himself without public objection. Anyway no one kicked about his claims in the vicinity of the Golden Gate.

FOUR ROUND BOUT.

Least of all was Jimmy Duffy (Hyman Gold) dissatisfied. For he was scheduled to meet Pinkey in a four round bout over in Oakland and evidently Mitchell thought Duffy so much of a set-up that he didn't bother to insist upon a proviso that no decision be rendered.

California four round bouts are decision affairs and under the law only amateurs may fight. But, as has already been pointed out in this column, pros do fight and seem to get away with it.

HAD THREE ROUNDS.

Duffy had all the better of three of the four rounds of the bout and Mitchell got no better than an even break in the other. So the referee and the two judges gave the verdict to Duffy. Now Duffy is claiming to be the earth's junior welterweight champion and Pinkey's friends, while admitting he was outpointed, say that since professional bouts are prohibited in California it was impossible for him to engage in a bout in which his title was at stake.

This is a matter for some fistic solemn to decide. The writer's own view is that the law says there shall be no pro bouts in California, it must be assumed that no pro bout was held. Pinkey may have some doubt as to this view in view of the pounding he received. But the matter is technical and apparently must be settled in a technical manner.

Do you know Baseball? by Dilly Evans

QUESTIONS.

1. If a batsman try his best to dodge a wild pitch, hits the ball, and it goes fair, what is the ruling?

2. If, while running down a player between the lines, in which four players take part, the runner is finally called out for interference or running out of the line, do such players get credit with an assist?

3. In the major leagues, if a player is put out of the first game of a double header, may he play in the second contest?

ANSWERS.

1. It is a fair ball.

2. All the players who take part in the play are credited with an assist.

3. The major leagues have a ruling, that if a player is put out of the first game of a double header, he is ineligible for the second contest.

South Bend Organizes.

South Bend, Ind., April 23.—The South Bend Independent baseball team, which will play Saturday and Sunday games this year, will be made up of former college stars and former major leaguers. Paul Castner, formerly of Notre Dame, will be the principal pitcher. Other former Notre Dame stars who will play are Johnny Morhardt, Casey Sullivan, and Roger Kiley, outfielders. Jim Archer and Bill Rostiser, known to Chicago fans, will do the catching.

Wolverines Have Stars.

Ann Arbor, Mich., April 23.—Coach Steve Farrell announced Tuesday that his entire squad would go to the Drake relays this week except Brooker, pole vaulter, and Smith, high jumper, who will compete in the Penn relays.

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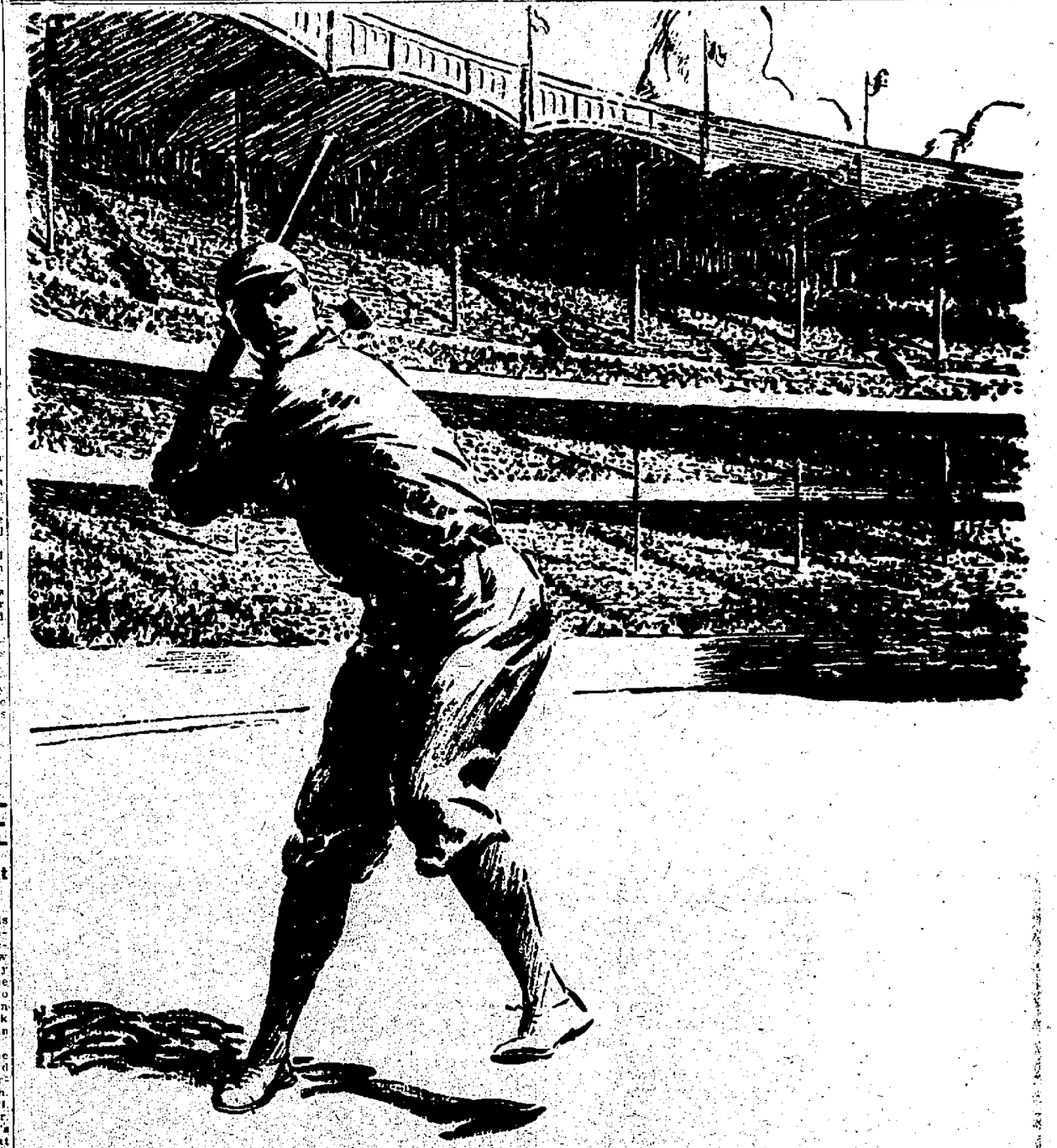

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BAIT FOR BUGS

By E. V. Millard

The Commies had a great time Tuesday enjoying the day of rest allotted them by Manager Irelan. The movies, pool and billiards furnished amusement for most of the athletes. Harry Rigsby accused Ralph McCollister of spending the afternoon shining up the black derby for Sunday night.

With the return of some "near weather" Manager Irelan led his Commies out to Staley Field at eleven bells this morning. Dick Bonnelly the new hurler will have a chance to heave a few while "Cowboy" Jones and Williams will be looked over in the hitting drill.

Ernie Calbert the player-coach will cut the last part from the title today and from this time until September will be busy with the Commies. The big fellow has had a fine season of it down at Central Junior high and will certainly have plenty of the knot holers for him this season. Cal has always been a favorite with the youngsters.

Bloomington Pantagraph: "What do you think of the outlook this spring?" was the question put to Ray (Buster) Woodworth, peerless second-sacker of the Bloomers, yesterday by Ye Ed.

It didn't take "Bux" long to answer and he did not dodge the issue, either. Ray thinks that Harkins has by far the best material that the local club has had in the three years he has been on the local payroll, and believes it is a ball club that is going to win a lot of ball games, too.

"If we get the kind of pitching that it appears we should we are going to give 'em all plenty of trouble this year," the hard-working keystone king said. "It looks like we would have a grand pitching staff and I believe our outfield and infield is going to be better than it has been for three years."

Cheery news, this, for Woodworth is a man of few words. When he speaks you can write it down as pure gold. It looks like a big summer out on South 14th.

There isn't any denying that on paper the Bloomers do appear to have a mighty good looking ball club, of course the fans don't know anything about Gomez or Schaffer of the outfield or Stewart on third. The rest of the team is a known quantity as far as this league is concerned. Collins and Metz should win a lot of ball games. There should be some great battles at Staley field this season between the old rivals.

The fur will fly when the Bloomers tangle with Peoria and Danville. Dave Callahan may be playing with the Peoria while Murphy will be with the Vets. Both players were let out by the Bloomers, the latter being given credit for ruining the team's pennant chances last season. Too bad the Commies don't have any Bloomer cast offs.

Dick Kinsella, scout for the New York Giants, spent a few hours visiting with President Wyllo and manager Irelan Tuesday evening. He came over from Springfield to catch a train for Detroit. His son Bob is with the Lincoln club, managed by Howard Wakefield, the old Rockford pilot.

Don't forget tomorrow night the baseball show "Heads or Tails" opens a two day stand at the Lincoln Square. If twelve Decatur folks can possibly five weeks without any compensation just to boost baseball in Decatur, then surely you can spend a couple hours of your time one of the nights to give the Commies a lift.

The golf team of the Bloomington Country club is to come to Decatur May 25 to meet the Decatur Country club team. Eight will play on each team. The date for the return match at Bloomington has not been set as yet.

Marty Becker has twenty-two players on his squad at Danville and will keep all of them until after the final exhibition games this week-end.

The Vets are ready for the gong according to the sports ed. of the Commercial News. Here is the way they will probably line up. Forrest Cady is certain to be behind the log. Jon Walker on first, Hollocher second, Welch short and manager Wright on third. Franklin Murphy and McEwan appear as regular gardeners. Vic Ruedy with the club last season and Kuehl, are said to be battling for the other job.

Now what about the hurling staff. The scribe has Padgett, Etten, Wilkus and Salisbury given the preference with Perry Payne Hagenbruch are also possibilities. Dependahl appears to be the second catcher and all around utility man.

Pete Brunsen poled 9 hits in 18 times at bat in the first five games played by the Birmingham club this season. That is hitting the agate for an infielder and Pete is evidently out to make a good season of it.

Pratt, the former Rox outfielder is not hitting the ball like an outfielder should but may get going with the Mobile club a little latter.

As usual, Atlanta copped the cup for the largest attendance on opening day. There were 14,216 fans on hand, 5,000 more than the next nearest team. Mobile won the cup given to the winner of the smaller cities division. The other attendances were: Birmingham, 9,214; New Orleans, 7,700; Memphis, 7,253 of the larger cities and Mobile, 9,245; Nashville, 8,622; Little Rock, 6,026, and Chattanooga 4,026.

Odie Strain and Johnny Nee were the only Augusta players to get two hits for their team in the opening game with Charlotte.

Howard Fitzgerald is banging the ball for the Wichita Falls club of the Texas League. Lefty Foreman broke in for Shreveport the other day against Wichita Falls and while the Texas team secured 10 hits off Foreman, Fitzgerald only secured one.

Charlie Dressen is getting his daily blows even though the St. Paul club is not making much of a splurge in the A. A. race. Many Brooks former Trax is breaking in occasionally with the Columbus club.

Crawford Under Knife.

Danville, Ill., April 23.—W. C. "Mush" Crawford, one of the tackles on the varsity of the University of Illinois last year, is mending after a serious operation at St. Elizabeth's hospital. Crawford had one of the muscles of his left thigh bruised on a number of occasions during the last season. The bruises caused the muscle to form a hard tissue and the growth finally attached itself to the thigh bone. This was chiseled away by Dr. George M. Steely.

Illini Net Team Wins.

Columbia, Mo., April 23.—The Illinois university tennis team made a clean sweep of its meet with the University of Missouri here Monday, winning singles and doubles matches. Hubbel lost to Goodwillie, 6—1, 6—1, and Eubach defeated Mindlin, 2—6, 6—4, 6—2, in the singles, while the doubles went to Illinois, 7—5, 6—1.

THE CAGE SEASON HASN'T ENDED YET

Washington, D. C., April 23.—Wendell Phillips High school of Chicago defeated Armstrong Manual Training High's strong basketball five here last night in a colored intersectional game, 17 to 10. The game was played at Convention hall before more than 3,000 spectators.

The Chicago boys led all the way, having a lead of 4 to 1 at the end of the first quarter and 10 to 4 at the half.

Cups were presented to the Phillips team by the Republican theater and the Washington Times. The Phillips team made the trip to Washington through the courtesy of R. S. Abbott, colored publisher of Chicago.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams

SPORT BRIEFS

New York.—The 1923 American League pennant flag will be raised over Yankee stadium today when the champions open their home season with Boston Red Sox. The world's champion banner won from the Giants last fall will not be unfurled until a later date.

New York.—Frank Zuna, regarded as America's best prospect for the Olympic Marathon until he failed to finish the Boston Marathon last Saturday, will not start in the international run unless one of the six men who qualified at Boston becomes ill or suffers a reversal of form, it was learned yesterday.

Zuna's efforts in winning the Baltimore and Detroit races earlier in the year were thought to have drained his energy.

Buenos Aires.—Luis Firpo declared today that he was not interested in any proposals of Tex Rickard, American fight promoter, on the subject of re-entering the ring.

Firpo is still hopeful of being a motion picture actor but the American film company which made him an offer insists on his return to the boxing game.

Cleveland. — Pancho Villa, flyweight champion and Eddie McKenna, New Orleans bantam, meet tonight in Cleveland's first professional boxing show in three years.

Cleveland.—Walter Hagen, former open golf champion, will spend a month practicing at the Oakland Hills Country club, Birmingham, Mich., prior to the championship competition there June 5 and 6 in an effort to regain his American title.

Cincinnati. — Eddie Roush, star outfielder of the Reds who wrenched his side in batting practice last week, will be out of the game until Sunday.

New York.—Harry Greb agreed to defend his middle-weight title June 27 at the Milk Fund show against any opponent.

Atlanta.—Young Stribling, Macon, Ga., was matched to meet Dan O'Dowd of Boston in 12 rounds in Atlanta, May 20.

Racing Notes.

"Uncle Billy" Garth's most promising candidate is Nautical, a brown colt by Sea King—Bambi by McGee. He did not show much last year, but is going along nicely at Havre de Grace. Garth won the derby of 1920 with Paul Jones and was second last year with Martingale.

Runstar, winner of the Coffroth Handicap at Tia Juana and owned by A. B. Spreckels of California, will be shipped East later in the season and this fall will be started in the series of races in which the French champion, Epinard, is to meet the best of the Americans.

Racing in the vicinity of New York will begin next Tuesday with the Jamaica meeting, the opening feature of which is the Paumonok handicap at three-quarters of a mile. There are sixty-two nominations for this race, eleven of them made by the Rancocas stable and six by Harry Payne Whitney. In the Rancocas list is Zev, winner of the Paumonok last year.

Sarazen is eligible to start in the Paumonok and will probably carry Mrs. Vanderbilt's colors in that event as a workout for the Kentucky Derby. Max Hirsch has decided not to ship Sarazen to Maryland and will keep him at Belmont Park until time to start for Kentucky. Sarazen may not be able to win the Paumonok but he has the Indian sign of victory, never having been beaten.

Robert A. Smith, trainer of the Glen Riddle Farm stable, has six 2-year-olds by Man O'War at the Havre de Grace track that will soon be sent to the post. The names of these sons and daughters of America's greatest race horse are: Florence Nightingale, Lightship, Flagship, By Himself, Homeric and Sea Plane. Some of these are said to be very fast.

Happy Thoughts is reported to be in splendid condition and is conceded a great chance to win three of the filly stakes this spring, the Pimlico Oaks, Ashland Oaks and Kentucky Oaks. Outside of her match race with Sarazen she was unbeaten as a 2-year-old last year. Happy Thoughts is also nominated for the Paumonok at six furlongs, the opening attraction at Jamaica.

CHICAGO WOMEN SET NEW DOUBLES MARK

Indianapolis, April 23.—Indications are that Cleveland will be selected as the next tournament city of the Woman's Bowling Association at the annual meeting of the organization here tonight. Officers for the coming year will be elected.

Mrs. Weissenberger, Milwaukee, with a score of 1,515, went into the lead in the all-events. The A. L. Pick team of Chicago took the lead in the five women event with 2,477. Mrs. Gene Acker and Mrs. G. Smith of Chicago established a new world's doubles mark with a count of 1,214.

BOWLING

By defeating the Ramblers two out of three games Tuesday night the Wonders of the Leadership of Lotus won the flag in the K. of C. league. The two teams were tied when the regular schedule was finished and a three-game series was rolled to determine the championship.

WONDERS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Stengle	149	160	123	432	144
Moore	142	144	164	450	150
Hines	148	158	155	511	170
Lotus	136	141	179	456	152
Loftus	132	139	161	432	144
Handicap	30	30	30		
Total	738	836	771	2265	

RAMBLERS.

Player	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Barry	158	206	174	537	179
Moriarity	141	160	167	477	159
McCarthy	136	150	137	423	141
Downey	120	116	146	382	127
Doherty	169	205	175	547	182
Total	724	823	849	2376	

High score—Jim Barry, 206; high average, W. Doherty, 182.

The Decatur Elks team didn't do so bad in the Elks bowling tournament in session at Angora when they took the drive. The locals shot 2677 in the team event while Hill and Morton clicked off 1133 in the doubles. J. Crinigan was the best performer in the singles with 582.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
W. Morton	171	157	153	481	161
J. Crinigan	224	177	181	582	196
L. Boos	167	153	180	500	167
J. Dooley	167	158	176	499	166
R. Hill	189	197	213	599	200
Totals	918	845	914	2677	

DOUBLES.

R. Hill	183	214	220	623	208
W. Morton	163	164	183	510	170
Total	346	378	400	1133	
L. Boos	187	181	203	571	184
J. Crinigan	185	176	171	482	16[illegible]
Total	372	357	374	1053	
J. Dooley	143	180	182	496	165
J. Cahill	195	172	141	508	169
Totals	340	352	323	1004	
J. Crinigan	178	186	206	570	187
R. Hill	176	170	194	539	1[illegible]
J. Cahill	166	133	184	483	161
W. Morton	202	140	125	477	159
L. Boos	173	140	161	474	158
J. Dooley	170	138	152	460	153

STONINGTON FOE FOR D. H. S. NINE

Monticello Team Unable to Play Here Today.

The Decatur High school basketball team is meeting Stonington High this afternoon at four o'clock on the Fairview Park diamond. Manager Rotz received word this morning from the Platt county prep team coach that he would be unable to bring his team here today and Stonington was secured.

Clyde Nichols, a southpaw hurler, was scheduled to do the flinging, with the same men who performed at Blue Mound Saturday being in the lineup.

Yesterday afternoon Coach Crooks of the track team held trials at Millikin Field which will aid him in the selection of the team for the meet at Urbana Saturday.

Here are the probable selections for the various events:

50 yard dash—Bennington, Hiser.
100 yard dash—Bennington, Hiser.
220 yard dash—Bennington, Adams.
440 yard run—Rucker, Adams.
Half mile run—Keown, Alderson.
Mile run—Hanks, Birchfield.
Cross country—Hanks, Wheeler.
1 mile relay—Bennington, Adams, Kiser, Rucker.
220 low hurdles—Eastham, Landrus or Turley.
Running broad jump—McClelland, Stouffer.
Pole vault—McClelland, Hiser.
Javelin—Fishback, Baid or Miller.
Discus—C. German, Don Wilson or K. German.
Running high jump — Fishback, Stouffer.
Shot-put—C. German, Laughlin, Lusk or K. German.

Tilden to Play.

St. Louis, Mo., April 23.—William T. Tilden II. of Philadelphia telegraphed Tuesday he would defend his title as national clay court tennis champion in the tournament here the week of July 7. He will play in the doubles with "Sandy" Weiner, Philadelphia, also entered in the singles.

RUSSIAN BALLET

At the Bijou Theatre Thursday, Friday, Saturday. A Real Treat for Local Theatre-Goers.

Word was just received from A. Sigfried, manager of the Bijou Theatre, that he has procured for Decatur, Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week one of the greatest dancing acts in vaudeville today, "THE RUSSIAN DANCE REVUE AND BALLET." Mr. Sigfried just saw the act in Chicago and he says that, without question of a doubt it is the best he has ever seen.

The act carries its own Musical Director and most of the dancers are pupils of Theodore Kosloff's world famous dancing academy.

Besides this wonderful act the bill consists of Walter Hiers in "Fair Week," a Paramount picture, and a Mack Sennett comedy scream, "One Spooky Night."—Adv.

The Screen

A movie magazine, presumably authority upon things cinematic, says:

"With the possible exception of Mrs. Cecil B. DeMille, Mrs. Tom Mix has the most valuable collection of jewels in Hollywood. It is valued at about $250,000. Practically all her jewelry consists of diamonds and sapphires. She has a superstition about pearls and will have none."

Before starring in motion pictures, John Gilbert devoted many of his leisure moments to swimming and diving. Up to the time that the studio duties demanded his entire attention, the Fox star could be found daily at one of the large beach resorts perfecting new strokes and devising new trick dives.

Mae Murray presented each of the eight army aviators who are making the round-the-world flight with a silver identification tag previous to their departure from Los Angeles. The presentation took place at the dinner dance given for the fliers at the Biltmore Hotel in Los Angeles, at which Miss Murray was one of the honored guests. "God be with you to the journey's end," was the inscription on each of the silver bracelets.

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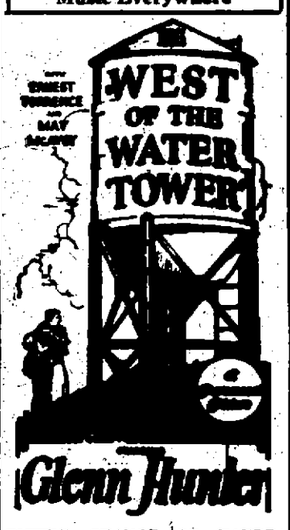

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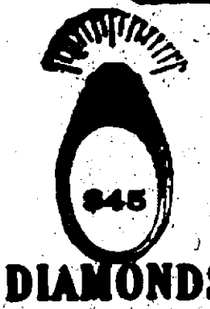

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1.50	19th week	.60	42nd week
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Industrial List Picks Up Losses

Stocks Also Rally On Over-Extension

Virtually All Oils Make Brisk Recoveries; Specialties Also Advance.

New York, April 23.—Short covering operations imparted a firmer tone to stock prices at the opening of today's market, which reflected the better feeling inspired by President Coolidge's address yesterday.

Industrial leaders, including U. S. Steel, American Can and, Studebaker, moved up and fractional recoveries took place in a wide variety of oil shares.

AGGRESSIVE BUYING.

Aggressive buying was nowhere in evidence, but continued covering brought about steady improvement throughout the general list.

Motors, oils and specialties scored fractional gains but American Woolen continued under selling pressure due to the unfavorable trade reports from the textile industry, falling to a new low at 62¼. General Electric advanced 2 points and gains ranging from fractions to more than a point were registered by Baldwin, Allied Chemical, Colorado Fuel and Iron, Gulf States Steel and Chandler. General Motors and Dupont responded to the favorable earnings for the last quarter.

Foreign exchanges were higher.

Over extension of short accounts, indicated by the unprecedented number of thirty-four issues loaging "flat," provided the basis for technical rallies in stocks which recently have been subjected to selling pressure. At the same time an increase in car loadings taken to mean that the decline in trade had been checked, encouraged a resumption of constructive activities throughout the industrial list. Under leadership of Tidewater, which moved up 3½, virtually all oils made brisk recoveries, with sugars, motors, independent steels, and specialties averaging gains of one to three points.

Call money opened at 4 per cent. The close was strong.

LAST SALES.

Allied Chemical & Dye	68¾
American Can	41¼
American Car & Foundry	135¼
American International Corp.	29¾
American Locomotive	71½
American Smelting & Refg.	60⅞
American Sugar	41
American T. & T.	126¼
American Tobacco	182
American Woolen	64¼
Anaconda Copper	32¼
Atchison	100⅝
Atl. Gulf & W. Indies	13⅞
Baldwin Locomotive	110⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	52⅝
Bethlehem Steel	50⅛
California Petroleum	23
Canadian Pacific	118
Central Leather	31⅝
Cerro De Pasco Copper	44½
Chandler Motors	44¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	74⅛
Chicago & Northwestern	56⅞
Chicago, Mil., & St. Paul, pfd.	25⅛
Chicago, R. I. & Pac.	23⅞
Chile Copper	27⅞
Chino Copper	16⅛
Consolidated Gas	82⅝
Corn Products	107
Crucible Oil	31
Crucible Steel	29⅞
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	58
Erie	24½
Famous Players-Lasky	60
General Asphalt	33¼
General Electric	200⅝
General Motors	13⅝
Great Northern, pfd.	55⅝
Gulf States Steel	67½
Illinois Central	101
Inspiration Copper	24½
International Harvester	48¼
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd.	33
International Paper	37¼
Invincible Oil	13½
Kelly-Springfield Tire	15⅝
Kennecott Copper	38
Lima Locomotive	38⅞
Louisville & Nashville	90¼
Mack Truck	78½
Marland Oil	32½
Maxwell Motors B	14
Middle States Oil	3½
Missouri, Kan. & Tex. (new)	19⅞ b
Missouri Pacific, pfd.	38⅝
New York Central	101
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	17¼
Norfolk & Western	122½
Northern Pacific	54½
Pacific Oil	47½
Pan American Petroleum B	44½
Pennsylvania	41⅝
People's Gas	92⅞
Producers & Refiners	24⅞
Pure Oil	21¼
Reading	53½
Republic Iron & Steel	40
Sears Roebuck	82⅝
Sinclair Con. Oil	29⅛
Southern Pacific	90¼
Southern Railway	52⅝
Standard Oil of N. J.	35¼
Studebaker Corporation	81⅞
Texas Company	40⅝
Texas & Pacific	27½
Tobacco Products A	83
Transcontinental Oil	4¼
Union Pacific	134¼
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	65½
United States Rubber	24⅛
United States Steel	97⅝
Utah Copper	67½
Westinghouse Electric	64½
Willys-Overland	8⅛
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LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, April 23—Liberty bonds closed:

3½'s, 99[illegible]	
First 4's, 100.27	
Second 4's, 100.27	
First 4¼'s, 100[illegible]	
Second 4¼'s, 100.31	
Third 4¼'s, 100.3	
Fourth 4¼'s, 100.2	
New 4¼'s, 101.17	

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, April 23—Bar silver 61½c; Mexican dollars, 48½c.

Metal Markets.

New York, April 23—COPPER—Steady; electrolytic spot and futures 12½c.
TIN—Firm; spot and futures $40.87.
IRON—Steady, unchanged.
LEAD—Steady; spot [illegible]
ZINC—Steady; East St. Louis spot and futures [illegible]
ANTIMONY—Spot [illegible]

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, April 23—Foreign exchanges now:

Great Britain demand [illegible]
Cables [illegible]
France demand [illegible]
Italy demand [illegible]
Belgium demand [illegible]
Germany demand per trillion [illegible]
Holland [illegible]
Norway [illegible]
Sweden [illegible]
Denmark [illegible]
Switzerland 17.31½.
Spain [illegible]
China [illegible]
Czechoslovakia [illegible]
Greece [illegible]
Poland [illegible]
Austria [illegible]
Montreal [illegible] cents.

INSURANCE BRISK, PITTSBURGH SAYS

Pittsburgh, April 23.—All lines of insurance writings in the Pittsburgh district are reported brisk, with many new policies being placed for automobiles, fire and casualty lines.

CHICAGO HOGS DOWN DIME

Indianapolis Hogs Are Lower—Sheep, Cattle Steady.

Chicago, April 23—HOGS—Receipts 22,000; 5@10c lower; big packers bidding 10@15c lower; bulk 240 to 325 pound butchers $7.30@7.45; practical top $7.45; one load to yard traders $7.55; bulk 140 to 150 pound averages $6.70@7.10; packing sows 5@10c lower; $6.65@6.85; best killing pigs steady; others 25c lower; bulk strong weights $5.75@6.25; heavy hogs $7.25@7.45; medium $7.20@7.45; lights $6.75@7.40; light lights $5.75@7.20; packing sows smooth $6.75@6.90; rough $6.55@6.75; slaughter pigs $4.25@6.25.

CATTLE — Receipts 8,000; little doing; steers and she stock 25c lower; most grades 10@15c off; bulk fed steers and yearlings $8.25@10.50; choice weighty bullocks early $12.25; best yearlings held around $11.00; bulls weak 15c lower; canners shading fat she stock decline; stockers and feeders scarce; firm; most veal calves to packers $8.00@9.00.

SHEEP—Receipts 10,000; slow; few early sales fat lambs looks 25c lower; sheep 50c lower; best fat clipped lambs to outsiders $14.75; bulk clipped $13.50@13.75; few choice wooled lambs $15.75; choice clipped ewes $8.75; bulk spring lambs $17.00@22.00.

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, April 23—(Bower & Bower report)—HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; market 10 cents lower; yorkers mixed and medium good weights, mixed, $7.75; pigs, $7.00.
CATTLE—Receipts, 300.
SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000; slow.
CALVES—Receipts, 800.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, April 23—HOGS—Receipts 13,000; hogs, 5c lower; mostly $7.40; few best, $7.45; packers holding back; packers sows, $6.50.
CATTLE—Receipts, 2,500; steers steady; few loads $8.25@8.50; Texas steers, cows and bologna strong; top vealers, $9.00; bidding $8.50 on bulk; Texas steers, $6.50@8.25.
SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; no lambs sold; bidding lower; few fat ewes 50c lower; bulk wool ewes $9.50; few good Tennessee ewes, $8.50.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, April 23—HOGS—Receipts 9,000; 10c lower; heavies $7.40@7.55; lights $7.30@7.45; top $7.60; pigs, $6.50@7.00.
CATTLE—Receipts, 1,100; steady, $7.50@10.50; cows, $3.00@7.75; heifers, $6.00@9.00; calves higher; veals $7.00@10.50.
SHEEP—Receipts, 500; steady; sheep $6.00@9.50; lambs $15.00@20.00.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill., April 23—HOGS—Receipts, 1,500; steady; top $7.35; lights, $6.85@7.30; mediums, $7.20@7.35; heavies, $7.20@7.35; heavies, $7.20@7.35; packers $6.25@6.35.
CATTLE—Receipts, light; strong and active; best calf top $9.25.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, April 23—CATTLE—Receipts, 500; steers steady, 15c lower; stockers and feeders bulk $6.50.
HOGS—Receipts, 12,000; slow; 5c lower; steady; packer and shipper top $7.15; bulk $6.90@7.15.
SHEEP—Receipts, 13,000; slow; wooled lambs steady; clipped lambs weak; 15c lower.

PRODUCE

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, April 23—BUTTER—Higher; creamery extras 37c; standards, 37c; extra firsts, 36@36½c; firsts, 34½@35c; seconds 33@34c.
EGGS—Higher; receipts, 20,057 cases; firsts, 22½@22½c; ordinary firsts, 20½@21c; storage packed extras 21½c; firsts 24½c.
POTATOES—Slow; weak; receipts, 81 cars; total U. S. shipments 531; Wisconsin sacked round whites $1.15@1.30; Wisconsin and Michigan bulk round whites, $1.20@1.40; Minnesota and North Dakota sack Red Rivers Ohios $1.35@1.50; Idaho cacked russets $2.35@2.60.
POULTRY—Alive lower; fowls, 24@30c; broilers, 48@56c; roosters, 17c.

New York Produce.

New York, April 23—BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 9,968; creamery higher than extras, 39@39½c; creamery extras, 92 score 38½c; creamery firsts, 88 to 91 score, 30½@38c; state dairy finest, 37½@38c.
EGGS—Irregular; 48,207 cases.
CHEESE—Irregular 37,625 pounds.
LIVE POULTRY—Weak; freight broilers 34@40c; fowls, 26@27c; turkeys, 20c; express broilers, 30@35c; fowls, 27@30c; roosters blank.
DRESSED—Unchanged.

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, April 23—Raw sugar, 8.40; duty paid. Refined unchanged.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, April 23—CLOVER SEED—Prime cash old $18.50; new $11.15; October $12.10.
TIMOTHY SEED—Prime cash, $3.70; May $3.75.

New York Cotton.

New York, April 23—COTTON—Futures opened steady: May 29.00, July 27.50; October 24.27; December 23.10; January 23.30.
COTTON—Futures closed quiet; steady; May 29.03 to 29.09; July 27.45@27.60; October 24.41@24.51; December 23.28; January 23.34.
SPOT—Quiet; middling 29.35.

MONEY MARKET.

New York, April 23—Call money steady; high, low, ruling rate closing bid, last loan 4; offered 4½; call loans against acceptances 3½; time loans steady; mixed collaterals 60-90 days, 4-6 months 4½@4¾; prime commercial paper 4¼@4½.

LUTHERANS PROTEST EDUCATIONAL BILL

Washington, April 23.—Opposition to the Sterling-Reed bill which would create a department of education supervised by a cabinet officer was voiced today before the house committee by representatives of the Lutheran church.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Lamson Bros. & Co.)

Chicago, April 23—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
WHEAT—Open.				
May	103¼@103¾	102⅝	102⅞	103½
July	105⅝@	104¾	104⅞	105¼
Sept	106 @106⅛	105¼	105⅝	106⅛
CORN—				
May	77¼@ 77⅝	76⅝	77¼	77¼
July	78⅝@	78⅝	78	78⅝
Sept	78 @	78⅝	77⅞	78¼
OATS—				
May	46⅞@	46⅝	46½	46⅝
July	43⅝@	44	43¾	43⅞
Sept	39⅝@	40	39⅝	39⅞
RYE—				
May	65⅝@	65⅝	65¼	65⅝
July	67⅝@	67⅝	67⅛	67⅝
LARD—				
May	10[illegible]@	1072	1065	1072
July	1092@	1097	1090	1095
RIBS—				
May	992@	993	992	993
July	@		1015	1015

WHEAT CLOSE IS UNSETTLED

Chicago, April 23—Wheat traders marked time today during early dealings, and effected no decided change in prices. Apparently neither sellers nor buyers were willing to take any determined stand for the time being. The bulk of transactions consisted of changing over from May to July.

SMALL CHANGES.

Opening prices, which varied from ⅛c off to ⅛c up, May $1.03¼@½ and July $1.05⅜ were followed by trifling changes in either direction.

Owing to lack of buying than to aggressive selling the wheat market today underwent declines in the last half of the session. Favorable crop conditions together with estimates that the U. S. would carry over about 105,000,000, into the new crop year were bearish factors. The close was unsettled ½@⅝@¾c net lower, May $1.02@1.03 and Puly $1.04⅝@¾.

Corn held steady with wheat. After opening unchanged to ⅛c lower May 77⅝@½ corn dipped a little and then scored slight gains in some cases.

The market eased down affected more or less by slowness of eastern shipping call here and by reports of the northward progress of planting. The close was unsettled ⅛@¾c net lower May 77¼@¾.

Oats started ⅛@¼c decline to a like advance May 46⅞@47 and later duplicated action of corn.

Lower hogs eased provisions.

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago, April 23—	Rcts.	Con't.	Estd.	Yr. Ago.
Wheat	17	13	18	27
Corn	43	12	30	78
Oats	61	50	33	53
Rye	1	..	..	..
Barley	9	..	..	..

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, April 23—WHEAT—1 hard $1.11; 2 hard $1.04½@1.08½.
CORN—2 mixed 80½c; 4 mixed 77c; 5 mixed 65½c; 2 yellow, 82c; 3 yellow, 77½@80c; 4 yellow, 76½@77½c; 5 yellow, 75½@76½c; 6 yellow 73½@75½c; 3 white, 78c; 4 white, 77@77½c; sample grade 72@74½c.
OATS—2 white 49@49½c; 3 white 48@49c; 4 white, 47@48c.
RYE—No. 2, 66½c.
BARLEY—72@92c.
TIMOTHY—$5.00@7.00.
CLOVER—$13.50@22.00.
LARD—$10.65.
RIBS—$10.12.
BELLIES—$10.50.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 23—WHEAT—Receipts 125 cars; cash 1 northern $1.11@1.16; 1 dark northern spring choice to fancy $1.24@1.30; May $1.11; July $1.13½; September $1.12½.
CORN—3 yellow 71½@71¾c.
OATS—3 white 44½@44¾c.
FLOUR—Unchanged.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, April 23—CASH WHEAT—2 red $1.14; 3 $1.09½.
CORN—3 white, 77@78c; 2 yellow 81½@82c.
OATS—2 white 50½@51c; 3 49½@49¾c.
CLOSE WHEAT—May $1.01⅞; July $1.03½@1.03⅝.
CORN—May 78⅛c; July 79⅝c.
OATS—May 48½c.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City, April 23—WHEAT—2 hard, 98@$1.23; 2 red $1.10@1.11; May 94⅝c asked; July 96⅝c; September 97½c split bid.
CORN—2 yellow, 78c; 2 mixed 73c; May 72⅝c; July 78⅞c; September 73⅝c.
OATS—2 white, 50c; 3 white, 48½@49c.

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., April 23—CORN—Receipts, 40 cars; ½@1c lower; 4 yellow 79½c; 6 yellow 71½c; 4 mixed, 73c; sample grade 70c.
OATS—Receipts, 12 cars, unchanged; 1 white 48½c; 2 white 49½c.

NORTHWESTERN MILLER.

Chicago, April 23—Northwestern Miller says in regard to the tariff: "In Washington the millers gained another point in the future postponement of the application of Section 28 of the Jones Act. It now appears probable that a satisfactory arrangement can be made whereby wheat and flour will receive equal treatment under the export law. The publication of the tariff commission's report on wheat and wheat products provided much valuable information as to the basis on which the import duties on wheat and flour were advanced and those on wheat foods were reduced."

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE.

Chicago, April 23—Journal of Commerce says: "Political moves at Washington have become disquieting to buyers and sellers. Close observers say there is less interest in the trade than at any previous time in their experience."

PRICE CURRENT.

Chicago, April 23—Price Current says: "With exception Hessian fly in parts Kansas and Nebraska, outlook for new winter wheat crop in states West of Missouri river very favorable. More or less damage in states east of Mississippi river. Abandoned acreage however, not likely to be up to the normal figure, which is about ten per cent of area seeded the previous fall. Present condition slightly above normal. Seeding of spring wheat, Northwest as a whole is ahead of last year. In Canada no seeding of consequence in Alberta and Saskatchewan while last year it was actually a week earlier. Hog slaughtering west week ended April 19, estimated 640,000 against 690,000 previous week and 818,000 same week last year."

SOVIET MAY DAY ONE OF PEACE

Moscow, April 23—May Day will be celebrated in Russia this year by peaceful manifestations on the part of the civil population, instead of militant demonstrations by the Red army as in the past.

This may be taken, the Bolshevist say as symptomatic of the Soviet's

GRAIN BREAKS ONE CENT HERE

Belief that the proposed grain legislation is likely to fail of passage in its present form seemed to have a weakening effect on the grain market Wednesday and there was a general weakness along the whole line with the result that local station buyers marked both corn and wheat off one cent a bushel, oats standing unchanged.

Hogs also were lower but prices were unchanged in Decatur although it will take extra quality stuff to get the figures quoted for tops. Dairy and poultry products are steady with prices unchanged.

Grain.

No. 2 hard wheat	97
Oats	42
Corn, No. 4 white shelled	65
Corn, No. 4 yellow shelled	65

Live Stock.

Choice young hogs, 200@250	$ 6.50@$ 6.75
Choice young hogs, 150@200	6.25@ 6.50
Choice cows, 800-1000 lbs.	3.00@ 3.50
Heavy sows	5.00@ 5.25
Choice steers 750-900 lbs.	6.50@ 7.00
Medium steers, 700@900 lbs.	5.00@ 6.00
Choice heifers, 700 to 850 lbs.	6.00@ 6.50
Good heifers, 700-850 lbs.	5.00@ 5.50
Medium cows, 900-1000 lbs.	2.50@ 2.75
Cutters	2.00@ 2.50
Bulls	3.00@ 4.00
Spring lambs	8.00@ 10.00
Veal calves	6.00@ 8.00
Canners	1.00@ 2.00

Butter and Eggs.

Eggs, No. 1 (not washed) doz.	.20
Eggs, No. 2, doz.	.13
Shipping butter	.20
Butter fat, f. o. b. Decatur	.35

Poultry.

Leghorn hens	.17
Hens, average	.22
Smooth Springs, average	.19
Leghorn spring	.14
Stags	.15
Old roosters	.12
Geese, over 8 lbs.	.10
Geese, light	.08
Ducks	.16
Light ducks	.12
Live pigeons, doz.	.75

Hides.

Green	.06
Cured beef hides, 1	.06½
Calf skin, 8 to 15 lbs.	.08
Horse hides	3.25

START PLANTING CORN AND COTTON

Springfield, Ill., April 23.—Corn and cotton planting started in southern Illinois in the week ending Tuesday, April 22, according to the weekly crop report issue here today by Clarence J. Root, meteorologist at the Springfield weather bureau.

"Oats were largely seeded," the report said: "and in some sections are up. Plowing made good progress. Fruit trees are blossoming in the central counties, but the peach bloom is limited, there being none in some areas. Winter wheat is best in the north where the acreage is smallest.

Experts say that the winter damage over much of the central division will average 50 percent, ranging from good fields to failures. The spring wheat acreage is small and as usual is confined to the northern part of the state."

KILLED WIFE FOR NOT COOKING MEAL; TAKES OWN LIFE

Chicago, April 23 — Because his wife would not cook his breakfast he cut her throat, James Petrucci, alias James DeJoy, told detectives, who sought him since the woman's body was found a week ago in a suburban forest preserve.

COMMITS SUICIDE.

Chicago, April 23—James Petrucci, alias James DeJoy, who last night confessed he cut his wife's throat because she would not get up to cook his breakfast, leaped out of a third story window of the detective bureau and was killed this morning.

KANSAS FARMERS STILL PROSPEROUS

Kansas City, Kan., April 23.—Kansas farmers on the average are more prosperous than the recent wails of some sorely-pressed wheat growers and cattle men would indicate, according to the latest report of the State Board of Agriculture. Not in twenty years have horticulturists received so much for their products as in 1923, when the total was $6,616,528. Only twice in twenty years have broomcorn growers made so much and only four times in the last twenty years have the livestock growers secured as much as the $117,172,380 total of 1923.

The value of the corn crop has been exceeded only six times, while Kaffir corn and sorghum growers each had exceptional seasons.

NILES AND ESTES INDICTED AGAIN

Sullivan, April 23— Odd Niles and Logan Estes, who figured in a shooting scrape near Bruce several years ago with officials from Moultrie county, were indicted on a charge of grand larceny by a grand jury in the Moultrie county court in session at Sullivan this week, bail for which was placed at $5,000. Estes is now serving a penitentiary sentence, and Niles, who was recently paroled from the penitentiary, and subsequently was acquitted of assault with attempt to kill former Sheriff Lansden a couple of years ago, is in the Moultrie county jail.

SUDDEN DEATH IN ASSUMPTION

Assumption, April 23.—Mrs. Bert Weisenbaum, aged about seventy-four years, died suddenly of heart trouble at an early hour Wednesday. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Elizabeth, at home, and a son, Charles, of Kansas. Definite arrangements for

Local Notices

SQUARE DANCE TONIGHT.
Vic & Fritz Hall. Good music.

HOME HOT BLAST FURNACES.
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PUBLIC DANCE.
At Modern Woodmen new hall 155½ W. Main, Thursday evening. Hours 8:30-11:30. Adm. 50c. Harvey Cox and his 7-piece orchestra.

BIG DANCE THURSDAY.
"Merry-Ment" Eccentric Harmony Kings will play, 8:30-11:30. Three hours dancing for the small admission of ten cents. Don't miss this musical treat. Check room service 10c each. Please have correct change. Pay as you enter.

IDLE MINERS DEMAND AID

Want United States to Pay Compensation to Unemployed.

Auburn, Ill., April 23—(AP)— Unemployment compensation, such as is paid in England, was demanded of the United States government on behalf of idle coal miners, in the annual address of President Freeman Thompson, in opening the eighth biennial convention of Springfield subdistrict miners here today.

Thompson, who was one of the leading insurgents at the Indianapolis convention of the miners, denounced International President John L. Lewis for failing to make such a recommendation to congress.

ATTACKS AGREEMENT.

Thompson attacked the three-year agreement signed by operators and miners at Jacksonville and declared as a result half the mines in this subdistrict are already closed down. He also attacked the Kentucky and Tennessee agreements, which he said give the operators the right to hire and discharge miners, as undermining the miners organization.

The U. M. W. of A., he said, is passing through its most critical period and urged the convention demand its international officers to wage a vigorous campaign to organize throughout the country.

16 COUNTIES IN $100,000 CLASS

Macon Among Auto Fee Revenue Leaders.

Springfield, April 23—Sixteen counties in Illinois turned more than $100,000 in automobile license fees into the state treasury in 1923, according to an announcement of secretary of State Louis L. Emmerson. Cook county turned in $3,220,180.

Peoria county was second with $235,866, St. Clair county third with $209,376 and Kane county fourth with $190,250. Others of the 102 counties paid as follows:

Adams $114,990, Alexander 21,950, Bond 26,995, Boone 33,982, Brown 16,450, Bureau 92,566, Calhoun 9,824, Carroll 46,841, Cass 38,844, Champaign 139,863, Christian 69,520, Clark 39,452, Clay, $18,898, Clinton $21,880, Coles 66,590, Crawford 32,387, Cumberland 16,270.

DeKalb $81,480; Dewitt 40,412, Douglas 45,338, DuPage 103,110, Edgar 54,965, Edwards 14,496, Effingham 28,730, Fayette 26,792, Ford 41,961, Franklin, $5,715, Fulton 96,990, Gallatin 10,729, Greene 32,874, Grundy 37,441, Hamilton 10,722, Hancock 68,388, Hardin 3,760, Henderson 18,977, Henry 110,333.

Iroquois $66,950, Jackson $49,461, Jasper $19,045, Jefferson $35,570, Jersey $16,711, JoDaviess $43,855, Johnson $9,444, Kankakee $86,966, Kendall $24,008, Knox $104,340, Lake $126,931, LaSalle $174,960, Lawrence $41,900, Lee $72,440, Livingston $94,585, Logan $64,210.

MACON $125,455.

Macon $125,455, Macoupin $88,980, Madison $172,910, Marion $60,221, Marshall $31,410, Mason $40,112, Massac $12,920, McDonough $61,133, McHenry $81,911, McLean $160,871, Menard $24,965, Mercer $50,127, Monroe $22,260, Montgomery $71,003, Morgan $87,004, Moultrie $26,980.

Ogle, $73,120, Perry $33,783, Piatt $41,200, Pike $41,744, Pope $4,895, Pulaski $13,700, Putnam $12,622, Randolph $43,117, Richland $21,933, Rock Island $156,847, Saline $52,670, Sangamon $174,911, Schuyler $23,574, Scott $16,788, Shelby $49,311, Stark $26,448, Stephenson $89,550.

Tazewell $70,121, Union $19,905, Vermilion $158,980, Wabash $20,441, Warren $59,622, Wayne $20,282, Whiteside $95,887, Will $165,232, Williamson $97,599, Winnebago $175,078, Woodford $51,914.

RIDES 1,822,500 MILES ON CARS

Chicago, April 23—Nearly two million miles by street car is the mileage record claimed by Edgar Dickens, 74, fifty years a Chicago motorman. He reckoned that in horse cars, cable and electric cars he has gone 1,822,500 miles.

NO FREE SEEDS FOR NEXT YEAR

Washington, April 23—There will be no free seeds for congressmen to distribute next year.

The house of representatives had its usual battle Tuesday over the free seed issue, and finally rejected a proposed appropriation of $200,000 to

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BOOST FLAT RATES AT TAYLORVILLE

Force Water Users to Install Meters.

Taylorville, April 23—In an avowed attempt to force all water users to install meters instead of take water at the flat rate, the city council has adopted an ordinance boosting the flat rate from $2 for the first tap and seventy-five cents for each additional tap, to $5 for the first and $2 for each additional. The ordinance affects more than 250 users of city water, and more than 400 already have put in meters since the council began working on the matter two or three months ago.

The cost of the meters and boxes is $21.50.

MEDICAL GAME WARDENS NEEDED

New York, April 23.—"Medical game wardens" to protect the public health were advocated by State Senator William T. Love in an address to the newly-formed "matrimony class" at the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A.

"Why, even the rabbits in the fields are better protected by our laws than the public health, especially the moral health of the community," said the senator. "We need medical game wardens to drive away poachers in the domain of public health. No man should be allowed to marry who can not give a clean bill of health. Tubercular's should not marry, and insanity is the most dangerous hereditary condition of all."

Senator Love advised men to marry women about the same age as themselves. He said that while tall men often preferred short women, the alleged attraction of blondes for brunettes "is all tommy-rot."

OPEN FORUM ON FARMERS' RELIEF

An open forum on farmers' relief legislation, including the McNary-Haugen bill, also known as the Agricultural Export bill, and other legislative measures, will be held in the Bloomington high school Monday evening, April 28, at 7:30 o'clock, under the auspices of the Illinois Agricultural association and the local Farm Bureau and Association of Commerce.

A representative from Washington D. C., will speak and there will probably be other speakers. The public whether for or against this bill are invited to attend the meeting and hear the discussion. It is expected that interested persons from all parts of Central Illinois will be in attendance.

JAPS CONTINUE TO ENTER PROTESTS

Tokio, April 23—(AP)—Japanese organizations continue holding meetings and adopting resolutions in protest against America's exclusion legislation, the latest meeting being held by the Government Arsenal Workmen's association and the Japanese Educational association.

GHETTO PLANNING MAY DAY STRIKE

Chicago, April 23—A rent strike, to start May 1, when rental increases are scheduled, is planned by a tenant's league, organized in the Ghetto.

SCABBARD, BLADE FRATERNITY MEETS

Urbana, Ill., April 23—One hundred members of Scabbard and Blade, national student military fraternity, had registered at noon today for the fifteenth annual convention which will be in session at the University of Illinois until Friday. Three hundred members are expected.

$1,550,000 BUYS VAN INGEN ESTATE

Chicago, April 23—The 1,550-acre former Vaningen estate property, south of Kenosha Wis. has been purchased by agents for Mrs. Edith Rockefeller McCormick's properties.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Personals. 9

PUBLIC NOTICE—I will not be responsible for debts contracted by my wife, Mrs. Lulu Wilson, signed by Geo. Wilson.

PUBLIC NOTICE—We are moving to a new location and will be out of business for about ten days. East Side Wrecking Yards, 1596 East William. Fairview 526.

Lost and Found. 10

BICYCLE—Left at Grace M. E. Church. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this add.

BOSTON BULL DOG—Lost. Had on harness and red ribbon. For return or information leading to recovery will reward. Call at 561 N. Franklin.

FRATERNITY PIN—S. A. E., diamond shape, set with opals and emeralds, lost Sat. in downtown district. Return to Review office. Reward.

POWDER COMPACT—Lost. Blue inlaid top. Reward. Call Main 2741.

TIE PIN—Diamond shape, with small chipped diamond in center; lost Saturday night; valued as keepsake from mother; liberal reward. Call Main 1491.

UMBRELLA—Gold handle, valued as keepsake from deceased husband. Reward. Main 2252.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

BUICK—Six-cylinder touring; excellent condition; priced right. Main 1269.

CADILLAC—Model 59, suburban; excellent condition; bargain. Dorothy Thrift. Main 6906.

CADILLAC AND LEXINGTON—Touring cars to exchange for equity in vacant lot, or small property. C. H. Pierce & Son, Main 138.

CADILLAC BARGAINS—

CADILLAC—Type 53, touring; $175.

CADILLAC—Type 53, sedan; good tires and paint; $385.

CADILLAC—Type 59, Victoria; carries a new car warranty; a beautiful job and a real bargain; $2,000.

CADILLAC COMPANY OF DECATUR
418-432 EAST WILLIAM MAIN 722
WHERE QUALITY IN USED CARS IS NEVER MISREPRESENTED.

CHEVROLET—1923 model coupe. Several extras. A real buy. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

CHEVROLETS—1923 touring; 1922 touring, 1922 sedan; and 1922 coupe. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

CLEVELAND 6—Sport. Like new. Must be seen to appreciate. Carries new car guarantee. For demonstration call Main 537.

DODGE—2 good 192[illegible] sedans. In fine condition. Gov Ferre Used Car Exchange, 121 N. Church. Main 725.

FORD—Coupe. Almost new. Many extras. Floor carpet and upholstery not even soiled. A genuine bargain at $200 of the regular price. Terms if desired. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

FORD—1921 model coupe. Many extras. A real good one. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

FORD—1922 touring. Tip-top shape in every particular. A genuine bargain at $130. See this car before it is too late. $60 down, balance monthly. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

FORD—1923 model touring. Starter and demountable rims. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

FORD COUPE—1923, first-class mechanical condition; newly painted. Main 637 or Main 3834.

FORD COUPE—1923 model. Good mechanical condition. Terms if desired. M. 2141.

FORD SEDAN—22, excellent condition. About $100 extras. Reasonable. See V. F. Oglesby, 138 N. Water. Fair. 1104.

FORD TRUCK—Light Ford delivery truck; panel body; good mechanical condition; bargain for cash. National Grocer Co. Main 342.

FORDS! FORDS! FORDS!—Tourings, roadsters, coupes and sedans; terms; $50 up. Talbott-Barry Co., 385 East Prairie. Main 208.

GARDNERS—1922 coupe. 1922 touring. Fine shape. Reo Motor Sales Co. 336 E. North St. Main 763.

GOOD LIGHT CARS—$50 up; terms. See them at Adams Used Car Market, 508 North Main. Main 2091.

HUPMOBILE SEDAN—1922 model. If you are in the market for a real value, come in and see this car. Reverts & Ehler "Fair and Square," 314 East Main street. Main 172.

OVERLAND—4 touring. Excellent running condition. A genuine bargain if we ever had one. $200, $60 down, balance monthly. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 251.

OVERLAND—1923 touring. A-1 mechanically. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

OVERLAND—1924 touring. Run less than 3,000 miles. A real bargain. Fairview 1165.

SPIESS AUTO SALES CO. BARGAINS—

BUICK—1918 touring.

MAXWELL—1923 touring.

NASH—1920 touring.

MAXWELL & CHRYSLER DEALERS.
244 E. WOOD. A. B. HOLSBIRD, MGR.

USED CARS—

CHEVROLET—1924 ton truck.

STUDEBAKER—1923 light 6 coupe. Refinished and in fine shape.

STUDEBAKER—1922 special 6 coupe. In fine mechanical condition.

AUBURN—1922, 6 sport roadster. In fine shape.

BUICK—1921 6 touring. Good condition. 5 good tires.

SEVERAL OTHERS NOT LISTED.
CASH OR TERMS.
V. M. ELMORE & SON,
STUDEBAKER DISTRIBUTORS.
232 S. Main. Main 867.

SPECIAL USED CAR BUYS—

HUPMOBILES—1924 coupe. 1922 touring, and 1920 touring.

FORDS—Three sedans, two roadsters, and three tourings.

ESSEX—4-passenger coach, 1923 model.

BUICKS—1919 touring, 1918 touring, 1917 sedan.

STUDEBAKER—1919 big six touring.

E. C. HEDGES.
332 E. MAIN ST. MAIN 530

STARR & SON USED CARS—

MAXWELL—1923 model touring car. Disc wheels and cord tires. A good clean car.

HUPMOBILE—1921 model touring car. Cord tires. New paint job. In good shape throughout.

FORDS—We have practically all models, coupes, sedans, tourings, roadsters and trucks. Priced to sell.

CAS

EMPLOYMENT

Help Wanted—Female. 32

HOUSEKEEPER—

Or girl for general housework, one who is competent for a family of five, three adults and two grown children, in a suburb of Chicago. Must be a good cook, neat and willing. No washing. Reply giving references and wages expected. Address Mrs. Frank L. Bates, 208 No. Madison Ave., La Grange, Ill.

SALESLADIES WANTED—For permanent work in city to represent Mother Hubbard Food Products, direct to consumer. Exclusive territory furnished to those who qualify. $100 working capital required and references desirable. For full particulars call between 4 and 9 p. m. at 847 W. Main. Mr. Ramsey.

SWEET GIRLS—Wanted to work in Normans laundry. Must be 20 years of age.

WAITRESS—Experienced, wanted. Apply H. H. Y. M. C. A. across from depot.

Help Wanted—Male. 33

AUTO MECHANIC—Wanted. Must be first class mechanic. No other need apply. Hours from 12 noon to 11 p. m. Main 4700.

BRICKLAYERS—12 wanted. K. of C. Home, 6th and Edwards St., Springfield, Ill. Fred Anderson.

BUTCHER—For delivery. Must have license. No phone calls. Apply Eastern Packing Co., 111 N. Water.

Help—Male or Female. 34

CALL AND EXAMINE—Here while you journey home office representatives of leading life, fire, casualty and automobile insurance companies will conduct classes in each of above lines five evenings each month, free of charge. Salaried positions and liberal general and district agency contracts to those who qualify after taking instructions. Immediate openings for all counties, Central Illinois. For further details address R. L. Carter, 138 No. Franklin St. Decatur, Ill. Telephone Main 2220.

Salesmen and Agents. 35

CAL—Sell coal in carload lots. Side or main line. Experience unnecessary. Earn a week's pay in an hour. Liberal drawing account arrangement. Washington Coal Co., 441 Coal Exchange Bldg. Chicago.

SALESMAN—For Lake Shore lots. E. L. Carter, 138 N. Franklin. Main 2220.

SALESMAN—With car. We have a very attractive proposition to offer. $17 to $25 per day. Territory open in central Illinois. Call or write for particulars. Bayhead Garage, 535 W. Green, Decatur, Ill.

Situations Wanted—Female. 36

CLERICAL—Or general office work by experienced young lady. Good references. Address Box 781, care Review.

STENOGRAPHERS—Experienced, furnished on short notice. Call Main 1300.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities. 38

GARAGE—Most sell fine garage business in small town. Small capital will handle. Address Box 778, care Review.

GRAIN ELEVATOR—Well located, in good farming community. Only one in locality. Including cribs for 12,000 bu ear corn. Also five-room dwelling. The price is right. $5,000 will handle. Drake & Hanselman, 330 N. Main St. M. 1062.

MEAT MARKETS—2; 5 restaurants; 2 hotels; 4 groceries; 2 rooming houses. Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg., M. 3270.

PAINTERS—Have a client contractor painter and paper hanger, now running four men in a town of 2,000. No competition, who is moving to southwest Missouri and wishes to dispose of his equipment and stock. Will invoice approximately $800. A fine opportunity for someone wishing to go into business for himself. Immediate possession. For details, Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg. M. 3270.

REPRESENTATIVE WANTED—

WORLD'S LARGEST MANUFACTURER—of pianos and players wants high grade representative for this territory. Offers the most complete line of instruments, including Ampico and Welte-Mignon Reproducing grands and uprights. Grands from the popular priced small grands to the beautiful Mason & Hamlin. From low priced players to the finest types. From inexpensive uprights to the best. Chickering, Brunswicks, and Cheney phonographs. The new Brunswick Radiolas, Zenith, Grand Neutrodyne, Murad radio sets, and the new Super-Heterodyne. Positively the greatest selling lines in America.

WE SELL DIRECT—From the factory, through our representatives, which means prices that are right. Offer liberal terms to customers.

WRITE FOR OUR PROPOSITION—Experienced piano or talking machine man preferred. We back you to the limit. You don't have to buy anything. An opportunity that comes but once. Address "Confidential" care this paper, giving full particulars regarding former employment. Address Box 762, care Review.

Investments, Stocks, Bonds. 39

COAL STOCK—McLaughlin atomized coal stock wanted. Buy 1st, care Review.

Money to Loan. 40

CITY PROPERTY—See us for loans on city property. Good mortgages for sale. Schenck & O'Brien, Phone Main 2300, 128 S. State street.

REAL ESTATE LOANS—ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. JOHNSON & BOBB, 121 S. PRAIRIE ST.

INSTRUCTION

Correspondence Courses. 42

BEAUTY CULTURE—Ladies, we teach beauty culture quickly. Positions waiting for graduates. Moler College, 108 N. Wells, Chicago.

LEARN BARBERING—It pays. Short course qualifies. Catalog free. Write Moler Barber College, 108 N. Wells, Chicago.

LIVE STOCK

Dogs, Cats, Pets. 47

MILL DOG—Boston, brindle, $25. Call between 5 and 7 p. m. Main 2722.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles. 48

PONY—Gentle Shetland pony and outfit; cheap. Call Main 2084.

Poultry and Supplies. 49

BABY CHICKS—All varieties, 10 cts. up. Free catalogue. Write or call. Mayes Bros. Hatchery, 2000 N. Monroe, M. 2008.

BABY CHICKS—Prices for May 8 to Aug. 1st 1: White, Brown, Buff or R. C. Brown Leghorns, assorted, $8.00 per 100; Barred Rocks, S. C. Reds, $9.50; Anconas, White Rocks, R. C. Reds, $11.00; White Wyandottes, Buff Orpingtons, $12.00; 100 per cent live delivery guaranteed; parcel post prepaid; mail your order today to Miller Hatchery, Hopewell, Ill.

BABY CHICKS—Six each and up, 10 standard varieties from pure bred heavy laying Blue ribbon tested flocks. Postpaid to you at our hatchery. Catalogue free. Hopewell Hatcheries, 800 E. Wood M. 1000.

DUCK—Why not you should buy Lakeside Pedigree Farm chicken. Stamps for catalogue. None better as layers. An average egg production 19 eggs each per hen during month of January and February, 1924. Buff Rocks, White Wyandottes, Buff Orpingtons, Leghorns. 1000 S. Milton, R. R. 6, Pulaski Schoolhouse, Fairview 666.

L. L. BIRD, Silver—Pheasants, Mrs. Harry Park, County 668, Ring 15.

LIVE STOCK

Poultry and Supplies. 49

HATCHING EGGS—White Leghorn, $1.50 to $5 per setting. Show record back of them. Wald McCarty, 1125 N. Edward. Main 2043.

START YOUR CHICKS RIGHT—Feed Buttermilk Developer Mash and Quality Oatmeal. Shellabarger Feed & Elevator Co. J. M. Allen, Mgr. Sangamon & Clinton Sts. Phone Main 178. We deliver city feed orders.

Wanted—Live Stock. 50

COWS WANTED—2 fresh cows. W. Sampson, Route 3, County 663, ring 2.

MERCHANDISE

Articles For Sale. 51

BABY BUGGY—Grey "Sturgis," first-class condition. 307 W. Cerro Gordo.

BABY CARRIAGE—Lloyd, reversible reed. Just like new. Will sacrifice for $25 cash. R. W. Garecht, 115 Westlawn Ave. Main 1330.

DOUGHNUT OUTFIT—24 pans, 1 kettle, 1 mixing bowl. All fixtures go with it. Cheap. Doing good business. 122 W. Grand.

FINE SOD—Very cheap; wholesale or retail; delivered or not; must sell quickly; grading new streets; fine elm trees also. Main 5148, Fairview 171.

FLOUR SACKS—Good 98 lb. flour sacks, 75c doz. Mail orders delivered, nickel extra. Call at 308 Central Ave.

GOOSE FEATHERS—Nice and clean, 35 lbs. Reasonable price. Call Main 5002.

REED BABY BUGGY—For sale cheap. Call at 2083 East North.

VARNISH—Best inside and floor varnish, $2.25 gal., while it lasts. Barringer Hardware.

Business and Office Equipment. 52

BURKS TYPEWRITER CO.—Buys, sells, exchanges and services typewriters. Call M. 1505, at 118½ E. William.

CASES—Wall case and floor case, 6 ft. long. 2208 E. Cerro Gordo.

CASH REGISTER—"National;" small; oak finish; practically new. E. S. Nichols, Pinckney, Ill.

LARGE ICE BOX—Cheese knife and case; pair candy scales; pair Dayton computing scales. McCaskey System, Decatur Gas Co. 148 S. Main St. Main 2551.

ROYAL TYPEWRITERS—New. Factory Rebuilt and Reconditioned machines sold and guaranteed. Our service is second to none in the city. Burks Typewriter Co. 118½ E. William.

TYPEWRITERS—New and factory rebuilt machines, all standard makes. Expert repair service. Decatur Typewriter Co. 351 N. Main St. Main 1787.

Building Materials. 54

CEMENT BLOCKS—110 for sale. Also other tools. 556 S. Jackson.

Household Goods. 59

BUFFET—New Queen Anne; walnut; $45. Call Fairview 888.

CHINA CLOSET—With combination buffet, Golden Oak. In fine shape. Only $12.50. E. Carter Rose, 355 N. Water.

DINING ROOM SUITE—Genuine American walnut, two tone; oblong table, buffet and 6 chairs. Reed library table. Fairview 1075.

DINING SUITE—Early English, and oak dresser. Fairview 2434.

FURNITURE—See us before you sell your furniture, stoves, rugs, refrigerators, etc. We pay cash. Globe Furniture Co. 325 N. Water. Main 2067.

CHAIRS—Gas stoves, refrigerators. We buy, sell furniture and stoves. Perry's 2nd Hand Store, 625 E. Eld. M. 2547.

LIBRARY TABLE—Fumed oak; like new; cheap. 1868 North Morgan.

LIBRARY TABLE—Porcelain top kitchen table, 2 kitchen chairs and other articles. Used 4 mo. As good as new. 600 W. Harrison.

LIVING ROOM SUITE—Three-piece fibre; in first-class condition; at a bargain. Fairview 1213 after p. m.

MATTRESSES CLEANED—And given new ticking at small cost. Decatur Mattress Factory, 1028 North Water. Main 1066a.

OIL STOVE—4 burner. Cheap if taken at once. 2210 N. Union.

OIL STOVES—We sell Perfection, Puritan, Lorraine and Hume. Sizes for every home. $6 up. Kilborade Furniture House, 658 E. Eldorado.

REFRIGERATORS—50, 75, 100 lb. top icers. $12.50, $16.50 and $22.50. Good ones. P. O. Greer Furn. Co., 625 N. Water. M. 4369.

SEWING MACHINES—All makes that are in good repair, $3 up. Drophead machines priced from $6 up. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

SIDEBOARD—Surrey and organ for sale. 2003 Walnut Grove avenue.

VELVET RUG—11 ft. 3 in. x 9 ft. 2 mahog. any chairs, and other household goods. Main 668.

PUBLIC SALE—Friday 2 p. m. 528 N. Water. Furniture for 5 rooms, new steel range, dishes, writing desk, beds, dressers, davenport, etc. L. J. Glosser, Auctioneer.

THE BEST PLACE—In the city to buy high grade used furniture and musical instruments Park St. Furniture Store, 248 N. Park St. Main 479.

UNREDEEMED STORAGE FURNITURE

DINING ROOM SUITE—8 piece F. O. for $54.00. Library tables, $6.00 up.

LIVING ROOM SUITE—2-piece tapestry overstuffed, $65.00.

PIANO—Upright, for $12.00.

FLOOR LAMP—$6.75; standing wire flower rack, $1.50.

RUGS—Several good room size rugs at $10.00 and up.

GAS STOVES—$10.00 up.

DAVENPORTS—And davenettes. Also an inexpensive outfit consisting of bed, spring, new mattress, small dresser, stand table, cook stove, dining table, chairs, 2 rugs and rocker, all for $76.45.

CASH OR CREDIT.

MERIDITH STORAGE AND FURN. CO.

MAIN 206. 229 E. CERRO GORDO ST.

Jewelry and Watches. 60

UNREDEEMED WATCHES—At almost half price; each watch in good condition. W. Rosenberg, 128 South Water.

Musical Instruments. 62

BANJOS—Bargain prices on some used small instruments. Cornets, clarinets, banjo, etc. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

GULBRANSEN PLAYER PIANO—See it in our window then come in and see how easy it pumps, how the melody stands out, how human-like it is. The price is only $420 and this a genuine Gulbransen. Terms. Two years to pay. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 313.

PHONOGRAPH—A new console model. Slightly used. Terms. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 313.

PHONOGRAPH—Console type. Cost $110 four months ago. Can't be told from new. Priced very low. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

PHONOGRAPH—One small Victor. A bargain at $47.50. Kimball Co., 149 N. Main. Main 247.

PHONOGRAPH—Phono. Large size. $40. Kimball Co., 149 N. Main. M. 247.

PHONOGRAPH—Used Victor upright, $130 model. Oak finish. Almost new. Priced at $125. Come in and see this. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

PHONOGRAPHS—Several phonographs and [illegible] demonstrators offered at reduced prices; also several used machines and a [illegible] machine at bargain prices; convenient terms. Linn & Scruggs.

MERCHANDISE

Musical Instruments. 62

PIANO—Upright; solid mahogany; in good condition. 1300 East Wood.

PLAYER PIANO—Mahogany finish. Good condition. Reasonable. 858 S. Jackson.

PLAYER PIANO—The easiest pumping player piano in the world. Any child can easily play this instrument. This is something new in player pianos. Don't fail to see this wonder player before you buy. Priced at $495. Wm. Gushard Co. Main 4201.

$175 BUYS—Schiller piano, used only short time. Has been rebuilt and is guaranteed condition. Convenient terms. Linn & Scruggs.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers. 63

CABBAGE—Tomato, Bermuda Onion Plants. For immediate shipment millions of stocky open field grown plants. Early Jersey, Chas. Dutch, Copenhagen Market cabbage; Greater Baltimore, Globe, Red Beauty tomato; Crystal Wax onions. Prepaid mail, 400, $1.00; 1,000, $2.00; express, 5,000, $5.00. Parker Farms, Valdosta, Ga.

SEED CORN—SEED CORN—1922 crop. Reed's yellow dent. Call 75, Mt. Pulaski, Ill.

Wearing Apparel. 65

COATS—2 spring coats, one blue, another brown size 36. Call evenings after 6 p. m. Main 1416.

RUMMAGE SALE—328 N. Water. Thursday. Westminster church.

Wanted—To Buy 66

CASH REGISTER—Wanted. Small size. Call Main 3165.

OLD BARN—Wanted. Cecil Holbrook, 2464 N. Graceland. Main 3168.

SHOW CASE—Want to buy show case. Telephone Main 7066.

CALL MAIN 670—If you have any furniture or stoves for sale. Park St. Furniture Store, 248 N. Park St.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms Without Board. 68

COLLEGE ST., N. 1121—Strictly modern furnished room; private home.

DECATUR ST., W. 1252—Large room, private entrance; also garage. Main 664.

EDWARD, N. 929—Modern sleeping room. Private home. Suitable for two.

ELDORADO ST., W., 360—Two nice, large furnished sleeping rooms. Main 3400.

MAIN ST., S. 449—Nice, modern, front sleeping room; private entrance; cheap.

MAIN ST., W. 343—Nicely furnished rooms. Call Main 1706.

NORTH W. 747—Large furnished front bedroom, gentlemen preferred. M. 3312.

WATER ST., N. 1303—Modern sleeping room. Call Main 5151.

WILLIAM ST., W., 290—Desirable quiet front room. Private entrance. Fairview 2280.

ROOM—Comfortable modern sleeping room for lady. Reference. Fairview 288.

ROOMS—Hot and cold water, telephone, newly decorated and refurnished. Special weekly rates. Brunswick hotel.

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

CALHOUN ST., N. 237—Two furnished modern rooms. Main 4272.

CERRO GORDO, E., 445—Furnished modern 1. h. k. and sleeping rooms. Fairview 937.

COLLEGE, N. 544—Two, mod., for rooms; private entrance; good home. Main 3800.

CHURCH ST., N. 2035—Two l. h. k. rooms; gas and lights furnished; references. Main 6864.

CLEVELAND, E. 925—3 modern unfurnished rooms. Near car line. Main 1309.

COLLEGE, N. 626—2 large modern front rooms, well furnished, newly papered. Adults, garage. Main 6066.

DECATUR ST., W., 1145—Furnished light housekeeping rooms.

DIVISION, W., 529—2 strictly modern unfurnished rooms. $20. Main 3407.

EDWARD ST., N., 858—Four unfurnished rooms; newly papered and cleaned; private entrance. Fairview 2444.

KING, W., 822—Modern furnished room, kitchen privileges. Main 2858.

MAIN ST., N., 806—3 modern unfurnished rooms for rent.

MARIETTA, E., 1151—2 furnished rooms. Partly modern. Private entrance.

NORTH ST., E., 250—3 unfurnished modern rooms.

NORTH ST., E., 1003—4 large, unfurnished rooms and bath, upstairs. Water, gas, lights, furnished. $32 per month. Alice Lee.

NORTH ST., W., 839—Two front modern furnished rooms. Upstairs.

NORTH ST., W., 572—Two, modern, furnished rooms; adults. Main 3752.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 255—Three, modern, unfurnished rooms; newly papered. Main 5719.

UNION N., 1285—Two, mod., well furnished rooms; adults; references. Main 1741.

UNION ST., N., 953—2 unfurnished rooms, ground floor, private entrance; to respectable man and wife. Fair. 386.

ROOMS—Suite of unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. Steam heat, electric lights gas stove. J. L. Drake, 330 N. Main St.

NORTH PART—Two, modern, well furnished l. h. k. rooms, for man and wife; near car line. Fairview 1669.

NORTH SIDE—2 suites of furnished light housekeeping rooms, downstairs and porch privileges. Adults only. Main 2356.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats. 74

CHURCH ST., N., 1605—Furnished apartment; two large rooms and bath.

CLINTON ST., N. 1616—Four-room flat with concrete basement; modern except furnace; $20 per month; to small family. Call at 1855 North Clinton.

FRANKLIN ST., N., 455—2 or 3-room apartment, furnished, modern. Fine place.

GRAND AVE., E., 1209—Modern 2-room unfurnished apartment, $17. Main 6601.

MAIN ST., N. 715—Apartment No. 5; three rooms and bath. Call Main 1276.

WILLIAM ST., W.—5-room, furnished apartment. Adults only. Main 3280.

WILLIAM ST., W., 353—Modern up-to-date 3-room apartment. Main 3175.

WOOD ST., W., 200 BLK.—3-room apartment. Modern except heat. Smith, Monroe & Smith, 130 W. Main St. Main 1236.

CLOSE IN—Five-room, furnished apartment. Adults only. Main 3656.

CLOSE IN—West, 2nd floor, furnished 4-room apartment with sleeping porch. Inquire Main 3180.

Business Places for Rent. 75

DECATUR DRUG BLDG.—2nd floor, two rooms. Good elevator service. See Dr. Reeves, 200 Decatur Drug Bldg.

OAKLAND AVE., S.—200 block. New store building. Main 3626, 1004 W. Wood.

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 412—Good business room for rent. New building. Call C. H. Pierce, Main 130.

WATER ST., N.—Good business room for rent. Call C. H. Pierce & Son, Main 130.

FOR RENT STORES—201 E. Eldorado, $30. Also 240 for $50.

Farms For Rent. 76

179 ACRES—Grain and dairy farm, 8-room modern home, big barn, milk house and outbuildings, at the edge of Decatur. Immediate possession. C. N. Burns, Realtor, 128 So. Water St. P. 604.

Houses For Rent. 77

CHURCH ST., N. 1605—Furnished modern house, 4 rooms and bath. Fair. 2263.

EDWARD ST., N.—8-room modern cottage, with garage. 600. Main 4218.

EDWARD & DIVISION STS.—5 rooms of modern house. Fairview 19.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Houses For Rent. 77

FIRST, & SEDGWICK—5-room, partly modern house. Main 5891.

GRAND AVE., E., 812—5-room strictly modern house, with garage. Main 3065.

HOUSE—6 rooms, modern and garage. References required. Apply 1234 N. Broadway.

MACON ST., W.—700 Blk. Modern 6-room house, with garage. Full lot. Immediate possession. C. E. Ward, Main 4480 or 472.

MONROE, N., 345—Furnished 6-room house. Main 2150.

MUELLER AVE., 1156—Five-room, strictly modern bungalow. Apply 431 North Water. Main 4478.

NORTH ST., E., 545—8-room modern house. Call 2280.

NORTH, E., 625—11 rooms. Suitable for 2 families, or rooming house. Lovely place for garden.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 671—Ten rooms, modern, newly papered; $50. Main 5070.

SUMMIT AVE., 125—Beautiful 5-room modern bungalow for rent. To adults only. C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 130.

WOOD, E., 905—5 rooms. Fully modern. Call Main 4304.

EAST END—5-room house. Good garden spot. $20. Fairview 911.

NORTHEAST—7-room, all modern house, ideally located. Arranged for 1. h. k. purposes. West Side Real Estate Co. Main 2375 or 3673.

NORTHWEST—Furnished or unfurnished, five-room, thoroughly modern house with garage; can give possession at once. Address Box 782, care Review.

Summer Places For Rent. 80

FARIES PARK—Furnished or unfurnished cottage for rent. Fairview 1337.

LAKE DECATUR BUNGALOW—For rent, sale or trade, furnished bungalow on Lake Decatur. Want small suburban. E. L. Carter, 138 N. Franklin. Main 2220.

For Rent 81A

GRAND AVE., W., 845—2 garages for light cars. M. 4866.

MARIETTA ST., E., 420—New garage for rent. Main 5466.

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

HOUSE—5, 6 or 7 rooms, wanted on or before May 1st. Main 6756.

NORTH OR WEST—Furnished house wanted by couple for summer. 5 or 6 rooms modern. Call Main 2870.

STORE ROOM—Or garage, for bottling milk. Must have cement floor and proper drainage. Call Main 4792.

WEST END—Couple without children want small apartment or house. Must be attractive. References furnished. Fair. 1904.

5 ROOM—Modern bungalow with garage, family of 2 adults. M. 4603.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Brokers in Real Estate. 83

C. L. NOLTE—Best prices in modern homes and vacant lots. All kinds of insurance. 843 Stand. Life Bldg. Main 1940.

E. L. CARTER—Real estate, loans, insurance. Have customers for west side Homes. 138 N. Franklin. Main 2220.

Farms and Land For Sale. 85

OHIO FARM—For sale. 205 acres (laid as parallelogram) on Macadam Road ten miles from Lima, Ohio, four and one-half miles from Wapakoneta, Ohio, County Seat of Auglaize County. On gravel road one and one-half miles from Hume and Buckland, Ohio, both on Lake Erie and Western Railroad. All taxes paid. No incumbrances. 90 acres second growth oak and other timber. Fine deposit road and building gravel pit open. Good water, fair house, barn, etc. Cash or Liberty Bonds. No Agents. Mrs. F. D. Hanna, 211 N. Fannin Avenue, Denison, Texas.

80 ACRES—Choice black land, well improved, level and well tiled. Near a good town and school. Immediate sale imperative. Best offer takes it. C. B. Burns, Realtor, 128 So. Water St. P. 604.

Houses For Sale. 84

BROADWAY, N.—$800 down and $20 per month buys a 6-room part modern house on full lot. Composition roof. Price $2,500. Hasselfeld & Holt, Realtors, 114 Merchant. M. 394.

CANTRELL ST., E.—4-room house. Full lot, $2,200. $600 down, $25 per mo. C. N. Kelley, 326 Citz. Bank Bldg. Main 5544.

CENTER ST., E.—5 rooms modern except bath-tub. Full lot. Price paid. A real bargain. $2,100. $600 down. H. S. Cannon, Main 2212 or Fair. 2175.

CERRO GORDO ST., W.—Two-room, two-story part modern house, $3,000. $800 down, balance $25 per mo. J. E. Darden, 208 W. Prairie. Main 6820.

CHURCH ST., N.—8-room modern bungalow. Garage. Full lot. $4,600; easy terms. 5 rooms, modern. Full corner lot. Price $3,900; $700 cash; balance $25 per month. 5 rooms, part modern; full lot. $700 cash; $25 per month. Main 401.

CLEVELAND, E.—6-room modern cottage on beautiful full lot, paved street; close to car line. Own owner. $600 cash; balance $25 per month. Owner leaving city account poor health. Hasselfeld & Holt, 114 Merchant. M. 394.

COLLEGE ST., N.—Close in, 6 rooms, modern. A good buy at $4,300. $800 down. Also 5-room bungalow on Harrison Ave., for $4,100. Hasselfeld & Holt, 114 N. Main. M. 394. Or Cochran, Main 4317.

COLLEGE ST., N.—Nr. Cor. W. Grand. Good, new, thoroughly modern, 6-room house.

COLLEGE ST., N.—6 rooms all modern. Full lot, paved street. $4,500. $800 down. Frank L. Clark, 818 W. Wood St. Fairview 1918.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Houses For Sale. 84

DENNIS AVE., N.—5-room brick bungalow. A real bargain if taken at once. Main 2675 or 3673.

FAIRVIEW PLACE—Five rooms, strictly modern, two large sleeping rooms and bath above; hardwood floors and finish; well built; full south front lot; $5,800. Drake & Hanselman, 330 North Main Street. Main 1062. Residence phone, Main 6566.

JASPER ST., S., 241—5-room modern bungalow. See owner. 781 E. Decatur.

JASPER ST., S.—8-room, two-story partly modern. 90 ft. frontage. Close to lake. $900 cash, balance like rent. Also 5-room bungalow northwest. Hardwood floors, built-in features, $1,050 cash, balance easy payments. W. G. Wright, 418 Millikin Bldg. Main 980.

LAWRENCE ST., E.—Thoroughly modern four-room cottage, $3,500. $500 down and bal. $25.00 per mo. J. E. Darden, 208 W. Prairie. Main 6820.

NORTH ST., E.—6-room modern house. Good location for roomers. Owner anxious to sell. Make offers. Can be bought on very easy terms. W. E. Gregg, 622 Cushard Bldg. Main 236.

NORTH ST., W.—Close in, 6-room modern cottage with kitchenette. Fireplace, 3 bedrooms. Full basement, nice lot. Garage. Linoleum, gas range and shades included. Owner has reduced price for quick sale—$1,800 cash, balance terms. Robt. Huston & Co. Over Farmers State Bank. Main 528.

OAKLAND AVE., N.—4 new 5-room bungalows, complete, with bathroom. Concrete basements, and electric lights. South fronts. $500 down, $2.900 to $2.700. Main 378.

TERRACE GARDENS—5-room, modern home. $4,500. $500 down, $35 monthly. Main 4181.

UNION ST., N.—Three 5-room bungalows, 4 new 5-room bungalows, each $2,800, $2,800; $2,700 and $2,800. Easy payments. Allen, 164 Merchant St. M. 427.

UNION ST., N.—800—6 rooms modern, on full lot. Paved street. $3,900, with $1,100 down. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

WOOD ST., E.—1300 block, 5-room bungalow, modern except bath. On full lot. $3,750, with terms. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

WOOD ST., E., 856—7-room, partly modern house. Lot 40x180. Cheap.

BUNGALOW—Modern; paved street; full lot; garage, terms. Main 1705.

BUNGALOW—Modern, paved street, full lot, garage. Terms. Owner, F. 2063.

BUNGALOW—Very attractive, all modern, 5 rooms, breakfast room and bath; French doors; built-in features; garage with concrete drive. Excellent location. By owner, leaving city. Immediate possession. Main 5084.

CLOSE IN—On northwest side, $500 down buys 6-room modern cottage, 4 bedrooms, only $4,200. Call Main 867.

EAST END—New modern 5-room bungalow. $500 cash and balance on payments. W. F. Pickle, 146 E. Main St.

EAST SIDE—Close in. New, all modern completely furnished 4-room bungalow. Beautiful location, priced for quick sale on best of terms. Main 2075 or 3673.

EAST SIDE—$600 down buys 5-room modern bungalow. Just completed, on street to be paved this summer, full lot, only $4,800. See this. Robertson, 622 Cushard Bldg. Main 387.

EAST SIDE—5-room $3,000 bungalow, nearly modern, $2,800, $600 down, $25 per mo. West Side Real Estate Co. Main 2375 or 3673.

EASY PAYMENT HOMES—6 new 5-room part mod. bungalows, just being completed, possession in 10 days. 1 N. W. Corner, $500 down, $20 per mo. Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg. Main 3270.

HOMES—4 and 7 room modern homes on full lot, in fine location. Also new 5 room bungalow on car line. A beauty. Terms. Call Louise Clark, Fairview 1291.

IMPROVED—And unimproved city property, farm lands. Fire insurance written. C. C. Lyons. Phone Main 3400.

JUST COMPLETED—$500 down buys 5-room, modern bungalow. Oak floors, beautifully decorated rooms, new gas range, full lot; Northwest side. Let us show you this. Robertson, 622 Cushard Bldg. Main 387.

NINE-ROOM—Modern house with oak floors and large new furnace. Very desirable for roomers as it has 4 bedrooms and is well located. $1,100 cash and balance in payments. W. F. Pickle, 146 E. Main St.

NORTHEAST PART—4-room, partly modern cottage. Full lot, paved street. Price $2,500. Terms, $500 down. E. Drobach Jr., 114 Merchant St. Main 3047.

NORTH SIDE—Modern cottage of five rooms and bath; full lot; on paved street and car line. $3,500. Terms. J. E. Darden, 208 W. Prairie. Main 6820.

NORTH SIDE—$500 down buys 5 rooms modern, with double garage. $4,200. $800 down buys new 5-room modern bungalow, oak floors, $4,200. 6-room modern on Monroe near Division for $4,500. Terms. See us about them. D. D. Hall & Son, Main 573.

NORTHWEST—Good location. For sale or for rent, 5 room modern bungalow. Long living room, fireplace, hardwood floors, many built-in features. Decatur Real Estate Co. Gushard Bldg. Main 900.

NORTHWEST—5-room partly modern bungalow. Practically new with 3 full lots. Plenty of small fruit. $4,000. $1,000 down. H. S. Cannon, Main 2212 or F. 2175.

SEE E. E. BOWON—About N. Monroe St. bargain. 5 rooms down, 3 up, entirely modern. Full lot. Paved street. Also 7 rooms, W. Cerro Gordo street $3 blocks out. Modern except bath tub. 204 E. Prairie Ave. M. 394.

SOUTHEAST—8-room modern house, nearly finished. On full lot with garage. $4,800, on terms. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

WEST—Modern 6-room almost new modern bungalow, full lot, fine condition, $4,750. $1,500 down, monthly payments. J. T. Pierce, 128 E. Prairie. Main 6500.

WEST SIDE—Brand new 5-room modern bungalow! Hardwood floors, built-in features. Up-to-date. Exterior Hardwood & Pictorial, Stine Bldg. M. 2000.

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WEST SIDE—5-room bungalow. On full lot. Fireplace, paving paid. Price reduction. $1,300 down. Price $3,500. D. D. Hall & Son, Main 573.

WEST SIDE—5-room modern bungalow on 50 ft. lot. Paved street. Oak floors, gum finish. Fireplace. Built-in features. All large rooms. Price $4,300. Terms. C. H. Pierce and Son. Main 130.

6-ROOM CLOSE IN—East side, $4,300. $1,000 down, 6-room modern, $1,000 down. 5-room modern, $3,200. $600 down. 6-room not modern, $3,000. $500 down. These houses well located and priced right. West Side Real Estate Co. Main 2375 or 3673.

$400 DOWN, BUYS—7-room nearly modern home on northwest side. Each room newly papered. All woodwork newly varnished. All new electric and plumbing fixtures, new gas range, full lot, only $3,100. Robertson, 622 Cushard Bldg. Main 387.

Lots For Sale. 85

CANTRELL ST., E.—Deady lot, 50x147 ft. $850. A bargain. C. N. Kelly, 326 Citz. Bank Bldg. Main 5544.

JOHNS 1ST ADDITION—Fine 50 ft. lot, south front. Main 4447.

LAKESIDE LOTS—2, big ones, near city, must sell; payments. Box 712, care Review.

LOT—Beautiful high modern lot, tract, land for home sweet homes. Can be bought for cash or easy payments. Louise Clark. Main 1291.

LOTS—We have some fine lots, 50 ft. in width, for $625 cash or $650 on terms. Located near Roosevelt school. Dickerson & Cloney, 200 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2664. Residence phone, Main 4750.

OAKDALE ADDITION—Vacant lot, 40x150. Priced at a bargain for quick sale. E. Drobach, Jr., 116 Merchant St. Main 2047.

Resort Property For Sale. 86

LAKE DECATUR—Lot on Lake Decatur, priced for quick sale. Terms to suit purchaser. E. L. Carter, 138 N. Franklin. Main 2220.

Suburban For Sale. 87

5 ROOMS—Partly modern, on 3 lots. Good barn with garage attached. Lots of fruit. Nice lawn. $3,000. Campbell, M. 3270.

10 ACRES ON CONCRETE ROAD—5 minutes drive north; close to interurban. Excellent 8-room house in the very best of condition; electric lights, sink with cistern pump, concrete basement, furnace; good, well painted barn; garage, connected by concrete drive to the concrete road; good poultry houses; some orchard; well fenced. Will sell 5 or 10 acres. Owner has moved away. C. N. Gorham & Son, 210 Standard Life Bldg. Main 456, 406.

$800 DOWN—Balance, $20 per month buys a 4-acre tract northwest. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

$850 DOWN—And $25 per month buys a one acre improved tract, two miles east of city limits. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4051.

Wanted—Real Estate. 89

HOUSE—5-room house. $100 down; about $20 per mo. Main 4975.

PROPERTY WANTED—Is your property for sale? If so, we can sell it for you quickly. List with West Side Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY—We have a number of buyers wanting suburban property of 3½ to 15 acres. We will take short term listings and push them vigorously. C. N. Gorham & Son. Main 456 and Main 406.

WANTED—5-room part modern cottage, around $3,000. About $400 down. Robertson, 622 Cushard Bldg. Main 387.

WANT TO BUY—For cash, full lot or short lot on East side. Fairview 2206.

PROPERTY WANTED—Have a cash buyer for a good modern house. Call C. H. Pierce and Son. Main 130.

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Legal Notices. 91

ADJUSTMENT NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth, Trimmer, deceased, are hereby notified and requested to attend the June Term, 1924, of the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, beginning June 2, 1924, at the court house in Decatur, for the purpose of having same adjusted. Dated April 22, 1924.

WILLIE F. TRIMMER, Executor.
Walters & Latham, Attys.

NOTICE OF FIRST MEETING OF CREDITORS.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois, Southern Division.

In the matter of William H. Coffman, bankrupt. No. 3868 in Bankruptcy.

To the creditors of William H. Coffman, of Decatur, in the County of Macon and district aforesaid, a bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given, that on the 16th day of April A. D. 1924, the said William H. Coffman was duly adjudicated a bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at the Bankruptcy Court Room, No. 522½ E. Adams street, in Springfield, Illinois, on the 26th day of April A. D. 1924, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at which time the said creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt, and transact such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

E. E. PERRY,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

Walters & Latham, Attys.
Springfield, Ill., April 16, 1924.

NOTICE OF PENDENCY OF SUIT.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to statute of the State of Illinois to Frank Cline, Nancy Groves, Mollie Handcock, Lou Callane, Susie Sutten, Della Light, Asberry Cline, Richard Cline, Joseph Cline, Elizabeth Cline, James B. Cline, Emma Clingenpeel, Laura Fallon, Maud Allabaugh, Blanch Northcutt, Grant Robison, Etta Whisler and Clayton Robison that Charles E. Cline has filed his bill of complaint in the Circuit Court of Macon County, Illinois, entitled Charles E. Cline vs. Frank Cline, et al., No. 26121 against the above named defendants for the partition of the premises described as Lot Seven (7) of J. K. Warren & Co.'s Fifth Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois, and that summons has been issued against each of you in said cause returnable to the clerk on the first day of the next May Term of said court to be held at the Court House in Decatur in said Macon County, Illinois on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1924, which said cause is still pending and undetermined.

HARRY R. BUTT,
Clerk of the Circuit Court.

Lawrence C. Wheat,
Solicitor for Complainant.

MASTER IN CHANCERY'S SALE.

State of Illinois, Macon County, ss. In the Circuit Court. To the January Term, 1924.

Jesse H. McCoy, complainant, vs. William A. Underwood, sheriff of Macon County, et al., defendants. In Chancery No. 27899.

Public notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of Macon County, in the State of Illinois, entered in the above entitled cause at the January Term of said Court

START COUNTING ELECTION BALLOTS

Judge Baldwin Allows Reinders' Petition.

PATTERSON WITNESS

Testifies as to Condition of Ballots.

The petition of Fred W. Reinders to contest the nomination of John Clark for representative from the Twenty-Eighth senatorial district was granted by Judge James S. Baldwin in the circuit court Wednesday morning and the process of counting the ballots began Wednesday afternoon, the preliminary evidence was taken during the forenoon and was finished shortly after eleven o'clock.

The contest is confined to precincts 26 to 35, inclusive, with the exception of district No. 30.

PATTERSON ON STAND.

County Clerk C. H. Patterson was the first witness. He testified that the ballots are now in the same condition they were when delivered to him by the various judges of election. Then the judges in each of the contested districts testified that after counting the votes the ballots, tally sheets and poll books were sealed according to law and that they were delivered to the county clerk in the same condition they were when placed in the sacks and sealed and that no one had any opportunity in the meantime to tamper with them.

At the close of this testimony Attorney Ralph J. Monroe, representing Mr. Reinders, made a formal motion that the sack containing the ballots in the Twenty-Sixth precinct be opened by the clerk and counted. A general objection on the part of counsel for Mr. Clark was overruled.

AGREE ON TELLERS.

Then a recess was taken to permit the attorneys to agree on the manner of conducting the count. It was agreed that Byron M. Merris should tally for Mr. Reinders and that Attorney Howard Doyle should tally for Mr. Clark; that the clerk shall draw the ballots from the sack, and any ballots to which the attorneys from either side shall object shall be laid aside until all of the ballots to which there is no objection shall have been counted. Then the ballots objected to shall be taken up singly and disposed of.

How long it will take is not known. As the vote for candidates for only one office are to be counted, it is thought that it will not take a great while to complete the job.

COMPLETE PLANS FOR BOYS' PARADE

To Have Own Marshals and Bands.

Complete plans for the big parade of boys to be staged on May 2 as a feature of the Boys' Week observance were laid at a meeting of the boys in charge of the parade held Tuesday night in the Y. M. C. A. Marshals for all of the schools were appointed, the line of march laid out, and the work of training the groups from the various schools will begin at once. The parade will be one of the biggest ever staged in the city, and the most unique in that boys and boys only will comprise the marshals, marchers and directors. The bands, the Decatur High school and Blue Mound community high school organizations, will be composed of boys, and in all, about 3,000 are expected to take part.

DOZEN FLOATS.

A dozen or more floats are already assured, and several more will probably be entered.

The line of march for the parade will be from the court-house north on Water to Cerro Gordo, west to Main and south to Wood street and disband.

Marshals and school representatives from the various schools appointed Tuesday night were as follows:

Pugh school—John Sullivan, leader; Robert Spies, rep.

Oglesby school — James Turner, leader; Albert Nash, rep.

Jasper school—John Foale, leader; Jack Thomason, rep.

Dennis school—Donald Baird, leader; Lawrence Scott, rep.

Oakland school — Harry Miller, leader; Thomas Bean, rep.

Riverside school—Everette Wilson, leader; Berlyn Payne, Kermit Lontz, reps.

E. A. Gastman school—Ed Logan, leader; Donald Blechfield, rep.

Lincoln school—Arthur Gleason, leader; Glenn Folts, rep.

Durfee school—Ellis Wheeler, leader; Samuel Purvis, rep.

Jackson school—Lew Smallwood, leader; Carl Thornton, rep.

Roach school—Floyd Birt, leader; Floyd Van Hook, rep.

French school—Charles Fishback, Wallace Tait, leaders; Wm. B. Tenney, rep.

Ultrich school—Robert A. Miller, leader.

Warren school—Franklin A. Watt, leader.

Roosevelt school—Ford Dickerson, Al Manning, leaders.

St. Patrick's school—Frank Collings, leader.

Time Dance.

At a meeting of the Hotel and Restaurant employes local No. 27, Tuesday, evening plans were made for a dance to be given May 6 in Mertz-Mont hall in East Main street. The public is invited. Music will be furnished by Harvey Cox's orchestra.

WHAT DID YOU SEE?

L. H. saw this sign on a card on the stage of a local theater, "Japanese maidens."

W. B. T. saw at 7:30 Monday morning an oil truck filling a wheel barrow with gasoline.

F. K. saw a girl hopping on one foot into a shoe repair shop. Close inspection showed that the heel of one shoe was off and she carried it in her hand.

I. J. saw a woman wear a pair of wool stockings up town, decide it was too hot, and purchase a pair of silk ones, changing them while up town.

R. K. saw a little boy flashing the light of a mirror in the eyes of a girl who was working in an office up stairs.

What Did YOU See?

ENGINEERS WORK ON VIADUCT DATA

Taussig to Come for Conference May 5.

Field men for the Wabash engineering department are still at work on the survey for the proposed viaduct at Seventh street. They are under the direction of Frank Marshall, Wabash assistant engineer, and the location of the proposed new tracks to serve the new shops, the re-location of the present tracks where changes are to be made, and the location for the piers for the proposed structure are being worked out.

When this is done it is expected that the railroad engineers and the city engineers will get together to discuss the type of structure which should be built and the estimaed cost.

All the data is being gathered and estimates made so that everything will be ready for submission to J. E. Taussig, president of the Wabash, Mayor Elder and A. E. Staley when they meet in Decatur May 5 to go into the subject with definite facts on which to work.

This is the date of the meeting which was suggested by Mr. Taussig when the Decatur men met the Wabash officials in St. Louis two weeks ago.

HEALTH WEEK PLAYS ARE GIVEN

Roach and Oglesby Pupils to Give Part of Program.

Plans are going forward nicely for the two little plays, one to be given by Roach school and one by the Oglesby school, as a part of the program for Health Week being arranged for Thursday evening in the high school. Throughout the schools the teachers are paying especial attention to the week, but as this has been a feature of the year's program it is not elaborated very much.

The speech of Dr. Elizabeth Ball is to be used as the main part of the program Thursday evening and this is to be addressed to parents and the general public.

Contagion.

Erysipelas—H. Zimmerman, 1111 West Decatur.
Scarlet Fever—Billy Kunzeman, 2356 East Eldorado.

Decatur

Make It a Beauty Spot

It is to be hoped that Commissioner Harry Ruthrauff can save enough money out of his operating and expense fund for the city water and lighting operation to improve the surroundings at the dam.

The clay colored bluffs along the shore of the lake where the big steam shovel cut such gashes and holes when the dam was being built should be graded, seeded and beautified with shrubbery and trees.

The ground around the pumping station and filter plants should be even more thoroughly cleaned up than it has been in the past.

Many Decatur citizens still have the use of their feet and legs. They like a walk with an interesting objective. The grounds adjoining the dam, with the falling water, the lake up stream and the stretch of quiet river between the new and old dams down stream, the pumping station with its big pumps and electric generators—all these are of great interest. A little money spent to make the surroundings right will be appreciated by the tax payers.

Years ago the "waterworks" was the favorite resort for hundreds of citizens who then walked freely without fear and broken arches.

The force at the pumping station kept a monkey or two, an alligator, a turtle and other strange and fearsome beasts and an occasional bird which the children of a less sophisticated age viewed with wonder and awe.

With the addition of the great dam and the lake above it, and with the proper treatment of the hillsides about the pumping station, Riverview park, as it is officially known, will come again to the glory of other years.

We want to be proud of our waterfall park.

It will always be one of the first points of interest to out of town visitors.

RESUME WORK AFTER EASTER VACATION

J. M. U. Students Are Back Again.

Classes were resumed Wednesday morning at James Millikin university, with the students and faculty all back on their jobs after the brief Easter vacation period. The majority of the Millikin people had arrived late Tuesday evening, with a few coming Wednesday morning, when they had no morning classes. Chapel period was in charge of the Seniors, with Clare Webb Knapp taking charge.

KAPPA DAY LECTURE.

The next event upon the J. M. U. calendar, after the lecture by Dr. William Elder at 4:15 Wednesday afternoon, is the Kappa Day lecture at eleven o'clock Friday morning, with Dr. Maynard Metcalf speaking upon the subject, "The American College." In the evening Dr. Metcalf will make a second address upon the subject of "The Future of the Human Race." The evening lecture will be a part of the J. M. U. extension course series, but the morning talk is the annual Kappa Day address.

The Student Council, Y. W. C. A. and Women's Athletic association are all planning meetings for Thursday, with the student council meeting called in the evening at seven o'clock and the other two organizations gathering in the afternoon.

"PUT ROUGE ON FROM THE INSIDE"

Advice To Be Given At Home Bureau Health Booth.

"Put your rouge on from the inside" will be the slogan in the Home Bureau health booth to be maintained in the Wheeler building, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. It will be emphasized that vegetables and fruits should take the place of cosmetics.

Some one will be in charge of this booth at all times, and some one will always be at hand to answer questions and assist in weighing and measuring. Especial attention will be paid to the need of handling milk in a sanitary way.

MENEELYS HERE FOR ROAD BUILDING

Will Remain During Working Season.

Mr. and Mrs. William C. Meneely arrived in Decatur Tuesday evening from Frankfort, Ind. They motored from Frankfort and are here to stay during the road building season. They will take furnished apartments here and make this their home while the rush of road building is on.

Superintendent Myers, in charge of the Meneely construction job at Jacksonville, expects to finish there by Friday night if the weather continues favorable. He poured 1,020 feet of slab last Friday and completed over 4,300 feet for the week. That left 4,100 feet to pour this week.

TO ASSUMPTION.

When the Jacksonville job is finished the outfit will be moved to Assumption and it is expected that it will be in operation on Route 2 by the end of the week.

Superintendent A. C. Frick, in charge of the big Meneely outfit at Assumption, had not started pouring concrete up to Wednesday morning. There was some delay in assembling a new finishing machine and a new crane did not arrive on time. They hoped to get the concrete work under way by Wednesday afternoon or Thursday morning.

GIVES SCHOOL TOTS A TREAT

Roach First Graders Enjoy Mrs. C. A. Uhles' Party.

Mrs. C. A. Uhles, chairman of Room one at the Roach school, entertained the children in the 1B grade at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. The youngsters went to the gymnasium where they played games for an hour, then they sat on the floor in a big circle while Mrs. Uhles served them "cold dogs" and vanila wafers. The happy little faces and shining eyes expressed the children's joy and appreciation more adequately than words could have done. As the children were going back to their room one little tot expressed the wish of all when he said "O, I wish we could do this every day."

STRAWBERRIES HERE FROM LOUISIANA

Selling at 25 to 30 Cents Per Pint.

Louisiana strawberries, very fine and ripe, are in Decatur markets selling at twenty-five and thirty cents a pint box. It is thought that they soon will be much cheaper.

There is much home-grown rhubarb selling at ten cents a pound, but the supply of home grown asparagus is light and the shipped in vegetable is the one found now. Home grown asparagus reached the Decatur markets some days ago, and had a good start but the heavy frost of a few nights ago froze it down. It takes some days to recover from this and it is thought large quantities will not be on hand for ten days or two weeks. Before it comes in good quantities the nights must get warmer. Vegetables are said to grow as much if not more at night than they do in the day time and to do so the warm nights are necessary.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. P. Carp, Kenzie, April 22, in the St. Mary's hospital, a daughter.

E. J. STEINLICHT DIES OF INJURIES

Engine Turned Over Several Months Ago.

CLERKS GET RESTLESS

Await Word of New Wage Agreement.

Emil J. Steinlicht, Wabash fireman of Decatur, died early Wednesday morning in St. Elizabeth's hospital at Danville after being confined to that institution almost four months from being scalded when his engine on the Champaign branch run turned over northwest of Sidney. Steinlicht was what is known as a promoted fireman—one who has passed the examination to be an engineer but who is still firing on account of a surplus of engineers. On that day he was scalded, however, Engineer Whipple the regular man was laying off to attend the funeral of a friend who had been killed by this same train a few days before, and Steinlicht was being used as engineer. His fireman was killed at the time of the accident.

MADE BRAVE FIGHT.

Due to nerve and determination to get well, physicians say Steinlicht put up a great battle for recovery. Three times, he was pronounced dieing and death was expected momentarily, but each time he took a change for the better and only Tuesday afternoon in Danville, he was reported to be getting along fine. At one time, he was thought to be on the road to recovery when nephritis set in and later, pleurisy deevloped. Steinlicht's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Steinlicht, who are said to be well-to-do, reside in Belmont, Ia., but have been in Danville several times at their son's bedside. Mrs. Steinlicht, widow of the fireman, and Mrs. M. T. Heintze expected to go to Danville Wednesday morning to bring the body back to Decatur.

NEW BREAK PRESSURE.

Wabash passenger engineers are specially interested in a bulletin just posted for them. This announces that, efective May 1, brake pipe and main reservoir pressure on passenger engines would be changed so that brake pipe pressure will be 90 pounds and main reservoir pressure 110 pounds instead of 70 and 90 pounds as now. Where the duplex governor is used, the maximum pressure governor heads will be adjusted to 120 pounds.

CLERKS RESTLESS.

Wabash clerks are now becoming restless awaiting to hear the outcome of the conferences between Wabash officials and clerk representatives on a new working schedule and wage agreement. In the absence of the general chairman, the most authentic report is that the working agreement has been entirely settled upon and there is just a very small margin of difference remaining on the amount that will be allowed in wage raises.

MAKES GOOD RUN.

Wabash passenger train No. 12, one of the heavy night trains from St. Louis to Chicago, made a mighty good run Wednesday morning. Pulling about ten cars, many of them Pullman sleepers, the train left Decatur one hour late, made all its scheduled stops, and went into Chicago right on time. The train has eight scheduled stops between Decatur and Chicago.

Railroad Notes.

The Wabash will have a special passenger train on four drawing room and four tourist sleepers from Chicago to St. Louis Friday night to handle the first of the season Lauders Tennessee river parties. The train is due to leave Chicago at 9:33 p. m. as second No. 13 and to arrive in St. Louis not later than 6:35 a. m.

An old Wabash freight car, said to contain rubbish and located in the extreme east yards, caught fire and burned up Wednesday morning but no other damage was done.

Grain business was a little better on Wabash trains moving into Decatur Tuesday, forty cars being handled. Thirty-two of these were corn and were mostly for Decatur mills. The vegetable movement was also good with forty-one carloads, twenty of which were onions.

Frank Marshall, Wabash assistant division engineer at Decatur, returned Tuesday night from Dunkirk, O., where he was called last Saturday by the death of his mother. The mother was eighty years of age but he had had no word or warning of her being ill.

Engineer Grover Drohn of the Wabash yard service, who has just returned from California where he attended his mother's funeral, returned to work Wednesday, bumping Herman Koeppe from a yard job.

Wabash engines Nos. 2318-2324-1602-2511 and 571, have just come from the Decatur locomotive shops after an overhauling.

The daylight savings schedule starts in Chicago next Monday morning but it will not have any effect on the schedule or leaving time of either Illinois Central or Wabash trains here in Decatur. They will simply arrive one hour later by Chicago time.

The C. I. and W. has closed its telegraph office at Keys, just out of Springfield, the mine having closed down at that point.

A car of steel bands in a C. I. and W. freight train became derailed just as it was coming off the connection on to Wabash tracks at Boody at 9:25 o'clock Tuesday night. The Wabash wrecker was sent out to pick it up. As only one main was blocked, no trains were delayed.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Clarence Gray, Alton 20
Gladys Whalen, Granite City 22

Robert F. Wheeler, Decatur ..... Legal
Frances A. Hudgins, Decatur ..... Legal

Fountain Lady Gets New Dress

Park Benches Also Given Coat of Paint.

City cosmeticians have given the cast iron lady of the fountain in Central park her complexion for the season. It is a soft gray not yet treated to the usual coat of coal dust and the young woman who has stood there for more than a third of a century seems as bright and "pert" as she did in the days of free silver agitation, bustles, picture hats and carriages.

In order to carry out a true color scheme the park department has painted the park benches the same gray instead of the bright red or dark green usually applied to park equipment.

FAIRVIEW PARK IN SUMMER GARB

Workmen Busy Putting It in Shape.

Fairview Park again is taking on its summer splendor. The grass has been mowed recently and the leaves of the trees are coming out. Work has been going on steadily putting the park in shape. The baseball diamond and croquet grounds have also been worked over. The tennis courts will be taped and ready for play the first part of May.

PELICAN DIES.

Death visited the park a few days ago and took the newest addition to the menagerie, the pelican which had been sent recently from Florida. The bird did not long survive the change of environment. The six perky foxes also at the park are usually entertaining enough when they will come out of their underground home, which is not often. Jimmy, the monkey, who shares their cage, like his neighbors but he teases them so frequently that they would rather stay where the monkey can not get to them.

AT NELSON PARK.

In Nelson Park the improvements are many. The road leading from Wood street into the park is being widened. The links already are in shape and grass seed has been sowed but they will not be in condition for play for a number of weeks yet.

FINE ROE SHAD IN FISH MARKETS

Channel Catfish from Louisiana Also Arrive.

Big fine roe shad are being offered in the local fish markets. The fish come rather high, forty cents a pound, scale, not dressed, but they are a favorite, especially with those who have lived in the east, where the shad is such a favorite.

Fine channel catfish all the way from Louisiana are also being offered and this is a favorite with westerners.

One firm has received a half ton of Illinois river fish—carp and buffalo—already this week. The Illinois fish are coming in good quantities now, after a season which has been rather unsatisfactory because of the constant high water.

GOLDEN CROWN CAMP PLANS FOR DANCE

Event Will Take Place On Evening of May 13.

Members of Golden Crown camp, R. N. of A., decided in a meeting Tuesday evening to have a public dance at the next meeting which will be the evening of May 13. The regular business meeting will be held in the afternoon.

PROGRAM.

The following musical program was enjoyed Tuesday evening:

Piano duet—Margaret and Alberta Glazebrook.

Vocal duet—Mary Ellen and Eileen Kairns.

Vocal duet—Alberta and Wanda Glazebrook.

Vocal duet—Buddy and Billy Roderick.

Piano solo—Margaret Glazebrook.

Mrs. Gladyle Songer received the prize in the guessing contest.

WESTLAWN SEWER ESTIMATES READY

Board of Local Improvements to Act Thursday.

Residents of that part of Decatur in the west section which is known as the Westlawn district will be glad to know that the details for the proposed sewer for which they have been asking for many months will be ready for the board of local improvements by Thursday afternoon.

Morgan O'Brien, city engineer, has been working nights to get the estimates and specifications with the construction details ready so that the work on this much needed job can be pushed.

DEATHS

WALTER DAULTON.

The funeral of Walter Daulton will be held at 10 o'clock Thursday morning at the Third United Brethren church. The body will be taken to Harmony and services will also be held there at 3 o'clock Thursday afternoon.

Woman's Club Bazaar.

Children's garments, practical aprons and dust caps for women, and all kinds of useful wearing apparel will be on sale at the bazaar to be given by the General Woman's Club all day Saturday in the Bachman Furniture store, corner of Prairie and Main streets. In the bakery section of the sale home-made cakes, pies, cookies, candies and all kinds of delicacies will be for sale. The proceeds will go toward the Woman's building fund.

DECATUR MEN AT EMDEN BANQUET

E. J. Muffley and James Chaney Return.

E. J. Muffley, secretary of The Pines, and James Chaney, of the Railroad Y. M. C. A., returned Wednesday morning from Emden where they attended the Men's Anniversary banquet which is an annual affair. Three hundred sixty-five men were served dinner and over 300 persons were in the balcony to hear the speeches. Delegates from Lincoln, Bloomington, Springfield and Decatur were present for the meeting which was held in the Community house.

The Community house is in Emden, a village of five or six hundred people, and cost $60,000. It has billiard room, banquet hall, auditorium, gymnasium and motion picture machine.

WELL KNOWN SPEAKERS.

A number of interesting speeches were given by well known men in the state. Carl Colvin, of the state agricultural department, spoke on "Relation of Agricultural Education to Community." In his speech he emphasized the fact that agriculture was no longer a mere means of living but a mode of living.

J. W. Becker, of the state board of health, spoke on "Community Health." E. J. Muffley spoke on "Serving the Community," and stated that "the greatest thing a community can do is to care for her boys and girls."

LORADO TAFT SPEAKS.

The speech of the evening was given by Lorado Taft, sculptor. He spoke on "Making the Community Beautiful." The trend of his talk was on the line that it was not the money but the life the community provides that constitutes her wealth.

SEATS FOR FANS' PLAY SELL FAST

Capacity Houses to See Both Shows.

Reservations for the opening night of "Heads or Tails," the Decatur Baseball Fans' association play to be given at the Lincoln Square theater Thursday and Friday night, were pretty well taken at noon Wednesday. The downstairs seats for Thursday night were almost all reserved but a few good seats still remained. For Friday night's performance the reservations are coming in steadily.

No complete report from the Fans' committee has been given, but indications are that capacity houses will see both shows. The curtain will rise at 8:20 o'clock.

MUSIC COLLEGE PUPILS IN RECITAL

Program Will Be Given Thursday Evening at 8 o'clock.

Decatur Musical College presents piano pupils of Miss Pauline Myers, assisted by expression pupils of Mrs. Gertrude Payette Koropp in recital Thursday evening at eight o'clock. The program follows:

PROGRAM.

"The Mocking Bird"—(Bilbro).
Elizabeth Ann Siegman.
"Frolic and Fun"—(Baldwin).
Elizabeth Daut.
"Camp of the Gypsies"—(Behr).
Mary Adaline Doherty.
Two pianos—"In the Ball Room"—(Schytte).
Dorothy Clendening, Miss Myers.
"Song of the 'Cello"—(Crammond).
Bernice Boose.
Two pianos— "Sylphids' Waltz" —(Franke).
Dorothy Clendening, Miss Myers.
Reading—"Willie, the Angel Child" —(Anon).
"Menagerie Diet"—(Cooke).
Virginia Henebry.
Two pianos—"Menuet"—(Paderewski).
Erma Tibbetts, Miss Myers.
"Pole Vause"—(Fontaine).
Frances Erwin, Norma Shively.
"Sunshine Song"—(Grieg).
Norma Shively, Miss Myers.
"Pas Des Amphores"—(Chaminade).
Dorothy Myers.
"Tarentelle"—(Heller).
Cletus Latshaw, Miss Myers.
Reading—"Nite-Wind"—(Anon).
"Fairy and the Robin"—(Guest).
Madolin Pygman.
"Charge of the Hussars"—(Springler).
Frances Erwin, Norma Shively.
"Tarantella"—(Brull).
Margaret Breseman, Miss Myers.
"Polish Dance"—(Scharwenka).
Frances Erwin, Miss Myers.

ACCEPT FOUR ON BURSTEIN JURY

Refuse Notice To Quash Information.

The work of securing a jury in the J. M. Burstein liquor case is in progress in the county court, Judge McCoy having overruled the motion to suppress the evidence seized by the officers who raided the J. M. Burstein drug store on East Eldorado street a few months ago, and also the motion to quash the information. Those two motions and their argument occupied the entire day, Tuesday. The latter motion was overrruled Wednesday morning and the work of securing a jury to try the case began at once. Up to noon four jurors had been accepted by both sides.

Thomas Coleman and J. R. Fitzgerald are defending Mr. Burstein.

Charge Speeding.

C. F. Randall, 540 West Olive street, was arrested Wednesday for speeding. He gave bond to appear before Justice Dickinson April 29.

MEETINGS.

Stephen Decatur lodge, No. 570 A. F. and A. M.—Special meeting at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening in Eldorado temple, Third floor.

SCRAPS OF NEWS

TO ACT AS JUDGES.

Prof. Luther A. Henderson, of Millikin University left Wednesday morning for Centralia where he will act as judge in the annual high school debate.

Prof. H. A. Carroll is in Greenville judging a high school debate.

TO SERVE DINNER.

The Silver Arrow club will serve dinner in the Red Men hall Thursday from 11 until 1 o'clock. The menu is as follows: Creamed chicken, hot biscuit, mashed potatoes, baked beans, slaw, bread and butter, jelly, pickles pie and coffee. The public is invited.

JITNEY SUPPER.

The Ladies Aid society of the Third United Brethren church will have a jitney supper Thursday evening in the church, serving to begin at 5:30. Chicken and noodles, home-made pies, ice cream and cake will be among the many good things to eat which will be served. A large attendance is expected.

TO ATTEND COUNCIL.

Commissioner Harry Ruthrauff, who has been unable to attend his duties as city commissioner for some time because of sickness, will probably be at the council meeting Thursday.

LAKE LEVEL.

The lake level at noon Wednesday was 610.25, compared to 610.3 at the same hour Tuesday.

ORATORIO CHOIR.

Members of the Oratorio Choir will rehearse Wednesday evening at 7:30 in Kaeuper Hall.

HUMANE SOCIETY BOARD.

The Board of the Humane society will meet Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A. A full attendance is desired.

LEAGUE PLAY.

The Epworth league of Zion church near Boody will give a play "Bashful Mr. Bobbs," at the K. P. hall in Macon at 7:30 Thursday evening. There will be orchestra music preceding the play at 7:30, and the play will begin at 8.

JUNIOR RADIO CLUB.

The organization of a Junior section of the Decatur Radio club will be effected at a meeting of all boys under the age of eighteen who are interested in radio, to be held in the Betzer library of the Y. M. C. A. Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Officers will be elected and by-laws adopted.

ARRANGE FOR PARADE.

Boys in charge of the Boys' parade for Boys Week will meet with all the principals of the grade schools at 4 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, to arrange for the parade, and the part each school will have.

LINCOLN NO. 3 16 FEET IN SAND

To Be Pushed Through to Bottom of Strata.

With the hole already sixteen feet in oil sand, with oil indications getting better as the hole deepens, drillers in Lincoln oil well No. 3 plan to carry the hole to the bottom of the sand strata, or an additional twenty or twenty-five feet, officials of the company stated Wednesday.

According to the formation found in the No. 1 well, there is about forty to forty-five feet of oil sand in the present formation. Although the oil is better and more plentiful even now than it was in the first well, the company intends to exhaust the possibilities of the sand bed before shooting the well, it was stated.

STEADY PROGRESS.

At the present time, the troubles caused by a crooked hole through the tap rock that delayed drilling operations for almost two weeks have been done away with and the hole is going down steadily save for delays caused by the gritty sand cutting off the drill bits. At the present rate of drilling the hole will be through the sand deposit within three more days, and then the well will be shot.

"We have good oil, but it would be foolish to stop there and not see what there is to offer in the twenty or more feet that is below, said an official Wednesday. As soon as we find out, we will shoot.

WOMEN VOTERS' LEAGUE TO MEET

Child Labor Problems to be Discussed During Afternoon.

Members of the Board of the League of Women Voters will meet Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock in the Y. W. C. A., following which the regular meeting of the League will be held at 2:30. "Child Labor Problems" will be discussed during the afternoon session. Musical numbers are planned and interesting talks will be made.

COOLIDGE GETS 26 DELEGATES

St. Louis, April 22—With the election yesterday of four delegates in the fourth and tenth congressional districts instructed to vote for President Coolidge at the Republican national convention, twenty-six of the thirty-two district delegates of Missouri go instructed for the president.

P. O. EMBEZZLER GETS FOUR MONTHS

Danville, Ill., April 22.—Harold A. Massey, Champaign postoffice clerk indicted for embezzling $1,650.27 in money orders and parcels post funds, pleaded guilty today in United States district court and was sentenced by Judge Lindley to serve four months in the Vermilion county jail and to pay the costs of prosecution. Judge Lindley scored the man for his failure to respect the laws, declaring that because of his education, high class parents and wife [illegible] deserved more punishment than some ignorant alien who did not know what the laws were.

SCOUT CANDIDATE PUSH CAMPAIGN

Parrish Gets Out Leaflet for Mayor.

NO PARTIES FORMED.

Every Fellow Working for Himself.

With the primaries over and only three more days to go until the general election on Saturday, candidates for city office in the Scout election who were fortunate enough to get through the primaries are putting on extra pressure in an effort to turn out a heavy vote at the polls.

Predictions that two "parties" would be formed seem to have been unfounded. At the present time it is a case of everybody for himself and no consideration for the other fellow.

SWART AT WORK.

Charles Swart, candidate for mayor, and his workers are quietly spreading the word among the boys that he is the logical man for the place. His campaign is certainly not aggressive, but may bring forth unexpected results, as his supporters hint.

On the other side, Wayne Parrish, his opponent, is going after the office as if it were a real political plum. Stumping the troop meetings and distribution of literature are only a few of the methods being used to advance Parrish for mayor on the basis that he has earned the office through constant and conscientious service to the scout cause.

GETS OUT LEAFLET.

A leaflet setting forth the reasons why the ballott should be marked for Parrish in the general elections carries the following record of service:

He has been a Scout for almost five years.

He is a First Class Scout with ten merit badges.

He was selected by Executive Roberts out of all Decatur Scouts to attend Culver Scout training course last year.

He has attended three different Scout camps.

He is assistant scoutmaster of Troop 15 besides being a registered Scout of Troop 10.

He edited voluntarily the Scout Trail for almost a year.

He has been actively interested in Scout work since he first joined the organization.

He has an enviable record both in scouting circles and in everyday life.

He is the Scout who Has Earned your support and vote in the election next Saturday.

Vote for Parrish!

On this basis, the Parrish men expect to sweep the general election.

COMMISSIONERS TOO.

Commissioners are plugging along with personal solicitation of votes and in some cases talks at troop meetings.

Although but seventy two voters went to the polls in the primary, a big percentage of the 300 or more votes possible in the city are expected to be cast on Saturday.

The men elected to office Saturday will take office on May 2 for one hour between 12 and 1 o'clock. All appointive offices in the city administration will be allotted to the supporters of the lucky candidates in true political form.

The Scout rule for the city will be in connection with the Boys' Week program in force for one week beginning Saturday.

AFTER BOBBING GOES, WHAT THEN? BALD AS AN EGG?

Next she'll shave her head like an Easter egg.

Bobbed hair, you see, is such a trouble to keep combed.

Then in summer and for sport she'll wear doggy little fluffy bobbed wigs. In winter she'll wear imposing constructions of puffs and braids and what not.

This, Paul Billing, president of the Illinois Hair Dressers' association, said Tuesday night, will probably be the verdict rendered by the convention of hairdressers who opened a three-day convention Wednesday at the Sherman hotel in Chicago.

About 10,000 hairdressers were expected in Chicago today to look over the displays of hair goods dealers.

Schools of hairdressing will be held each day and Friday a grand contest will be held at which four prizes will be awarded.

BELGIUM ACCEPTS EXPERTS' REPORT

Brussels, April 23—(AP)—Belgium's reply to the reparations commission's communication with regard to the experts' report is a full and complete acceptance of the report, according to the semi-official Independence Belge.

The newspaper adds that Premier Poincare and Premier Theunis, and Paul Hymans, head of the Belgian representation on the commission, will meet soon to discuss the reparations question.

JUDGE FINDS DYING MAN "NOT GUILTY"

Chicago, April 23—A court of justice moved yesterday to a hospital to try dying John Richardson, charged by Mrs. Veronia Majerol of stealing $200.

Judge Trude went to the hospital and asked Richardson if he had taken the money. Presented by two officers the man denied the charge.

"Not guilty," said the court.

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Bonus Bill Passes Senate; Tax Next Order of Business

Vote is 67 to 17; Action Follows Days of Debate; Revenue Measure Next In Line.

Washington, April 24.—Advocates of the soldier bonus bill centered their attention today on the White House.

Passage of the insurance measure yesterday by the senate left only minor differences between the chambers for adjustment in conference and it is expected to be ready for President Coolidge's consideration.

DECISION UNKNOWN.

No word on the subject of bonus has come from the president since his message to congress. He declared against a bonus at that time but it has been predicted recently that he might approve the insurance plan. At the same time, proponents of the bill have expressed confidence that, even if he should disapprove it, sufficient votes were assured to override a veto.

The bill was passed by the senate yesterday 67 to 17 and the vote in the house was 355 to 51.

REVENUE BILL NEXT.

The senate cleared the calendar of minor bills today preparatory to plunging into the tax reduction measure. The revenue bill was made the unfinished business of the senate yesterday immediately after passage of the bonus bill.

Expecting to get to work on the bill today, Chairman Smoot of the finance committee declared it would be held before the senate until definite progress had been made toward its disposition.

FIVE WEEKS REMAIN.

Only five weeks remain before the time tentatively set by leaders of both the senate and house for adjournment.

The second installment of 1923 income taxes falls due June 15 and the provision for a reduction of 25 per cent in these levies is contained in the pending bill.

Although the bill, providing for cash payments to veterans not entitled to more than $50 in adjusted service compensation and 20 year endowment insurance policies to others, was supported by the American Legion, senate Democrats gave notice yesterday they would renew their fight for full cash payments in the next congress.

DEMOCRATIC MAJORITY.

Senator Walsh, Democrat, Massachusetts, laid the ground-work for such action yesterday with an amendment to the bill postponing until July 1, 1925, the date of issuance of the certificates, although leaving the cash payments of $50 or less available immediately upon its enactment.

Senator Walsh predicted a Democratic congress would be in power then and an opportunity would be afforded to change the law to include an option of cash payments.

VOTE ON BONUS

REPUBLICANS FOR (33)

Brandegee	Brookhart
Bursum	Cameron
Capper	Colt
Cummins	Curtis
Dale	Elkins
Fess	Frazier
Gooding	Hale
Howell	Jones (Wash.)
Keyes	Ladd
Lodge	McCormick
McKinley	McLean
McNary	Norbeck
Norris	Oddie
Phipps	Shortridge
Spencer	Stanfield
Sterling	Warren
Willis	

DEMOCRATS FOR (32).

Adams	Ashurst
Broussard	Caraway
Copeland	Dill
Ferris	Fletcher
George	Gerry
Harris	Harrison
Heflin	Jones (N. M.)
Kendrick	McKellor
Mayfield	Neely
Overman	Owen
Pittman	Ralston
Ransdell	Sheppard
Simmons	Smith
Stanley	Stevens
Trammell	Walsh (Mass.)
Walsh (Mont.)	Wheeler

FARMER-LABOR FOR (2)

Johnson (Minn.)	Shipstead

Total in favor 65.

REPUBLICANS AGAINST. (8)

Ball	Borah
Edge	Ernst
Fernald	Pepper
Smoot	Wadsworth

DEMOCRATS AGAINST (9)

Bayard	Bruce
Dial	Edwards
Glass	King
Shields	Swanson
Underwood	

Total opposed, 17.

Smoot Defends Mellon Income Tax Schedules

Washington, April 24.—Opening the Senate debate today on the revenue bill, Chairman Smoot of the finance committee defended the Mellon income tax rates and warned against further authorization by congress of special appropriations "lest tax reduction be impossible."

The measure, as reported by the finance committee, Mr. Smoot declared, made the "fullest tax reduction justifiable."

$3,143,606,176 TOTAL.

Bills calling for the expenditure of $3,143,606,176, he said, are pending before congress in addition to the bonus measure now approved, for which the outlay next year has been estimated at $155,000,000. Turning to the income tax schedule, the chairman declared reductions in sur-taxes recommended by Secretary Mellon "will stimulate business, encourage investment and in the long run increase the revenues from the taxes on the larger incomes."

SMALLER REDUCTION.

In placing the Mellon income rates in the bill, finance committee Republicans rejected the Longworth compromise schedule adopted by Republicans in the House. This called for smaller reductions of the sur-taxes than the Mellon plan and greater cuts in the normal rates.

Senate Democrats have proposed a sub-schedule calling for a cut in the present surtax rates along the lines of the Longworth compromise and for normal rates similar to those adopted by the House.

FOLLOWS ADVICE.

In recommending the reduction of the sur-tax rates, Mr. Smoot declared the committee followed the advice of practically every authority who has studied the question.

"Their reduction," he continued, "has been recommended by Presidents Wilson, Harding and Coolidge. Recommendations of the last three secretaries of the treasury have been to the same effect."

CORPORATION TAXES.

Mr. Smoot directed attention to the corporation and estate taxes. The committee measure, he asserted, "is designed to interfere as little as possible with the business progress and industrial development of the country."

The increase in the flat corporation tax from 12½ per cent to 14 per cent, coupled with the elimination of the special capital stock tax, he said, "will apportion the tax burden more equitably among the different corporations by shifting it from those corporations earning a small return upon their capital, such as public utilities, to those earning a large return on their capital."

D. G. FITZGERRELL, BLOOMINGTON, DIES

Past Grandmaster of Illinois Masons.

Bloomington, Ill., April 24.—Daniel G. Fitzgerrell, past grandmaster of the Illinois Masons, died this morning at 2:30 o'clock at his home in Normal from a stroke of paralysis. He was taken suddenly ill last evening while up town and had to be taken to his home. He had been ailing for some time but of recent date he had seemingly been regaining his health and the attack last evening was a great shock to his friends.

EUGENE LIPP HEADS ILLINOIS BAKERS

Chicago, April 24—Eugene Lipp, of Chicago, was elected president of the Illinois Association of the Baking Industry at the close of the eighteenth convention Wednesday; C. E. Feickert of Belleville, Ill., was named vice president, and George Geissler, of Joliet, treasurer.

HAWAII SUFFERS SEVERE QUAKES

Hilo, T. H., April 24—(AP)—Earthquakes of severity and length are continuing in the Puna district. The tracks of the Hawaiian Consolidated Railway at Kapoho were tossed about like waves and the service has been suspended.

Three Line Reviews.

New York, April 24.—Ambrose Swasey, inventor, was awarded the John Fritz medal.

TURKISH CONSTITUTION.

Constantinople, April 24.—The Turkish national assembly of Angora adopted the new constitution.

TO ATTACK REBELS.

Vera Cruz, April 24—The government is concentrating 2,000 men to use against rebels.

DESIGNER DIES.

New York, April 24—B. G. Goodhue, designer of the Nebraska state capitol building, died.

CHILD LABOR LAWS NEXT

House Ready to Pass Farm Appropriation Measure.

Washington, April 24.—By a vote of 14 to 7 the house agriculture committee today reported the McNary-Haugen agricultural export bill.

Washington, April 24.—The house was ready today to dispose of the agricultural appropriation bill and take up the proposed constitutional amendment providing for congressional regulation of the labor of children under 18 years of age. Special rules provided for one hour of debate on the appropriation measure with its passage regarded as certain, and for limitation of general debate on amendment to six hours.

Supporters of the amendment which was introduced by Representative Foster, Republican, Ohio, planned to bring it to a vote in the house before the week-end recess.

WOMEN ACTIVE.

Women's organizations throughout the country have been active in behalf of the proposed amendment.

Advocates of federal control of child labor have fear[illegible] ment on the theory of obtaining a minimum of regulation, leaving to the states to a large extent the degree of enforcement.

Opponents of the amendment said they believed the recent defeat in the house of the proposed amendment to prohibit tax exempt securities revealed a sentiment against adding too many amendments to the constitution.

Bierd Asks Slicing Of All Prices

C. and A. Head Advocates General Reduction.

Bloomington, Ill., April 24—W. G. Bierd, president of the Chicago and Alton railroad declares that he is an advocate of a reduction in railroad rates provided that labor, manufacturers and all other industries also reduce their rates.

He admits that railroad rates are too high, but holds that it would be impossible for the railroads to conduct their transportation business properly by reducing rates while the costs of the commodities which roads buy are at the present levels.

SOUNDS WARNING.

Mr. Bierd sounded a note of warning when he called attention to high levels for products in this country as compared with the prices for them in European countries and expressed the opinion that unless there is a general "get-together" of American industries and labor for the purpose of reducing the cost of our basic products we will be confronted with a surplus which cannot be disposed of by export, and also by the need of a high tariff wall to prevent the selling of European commodities in the United States.

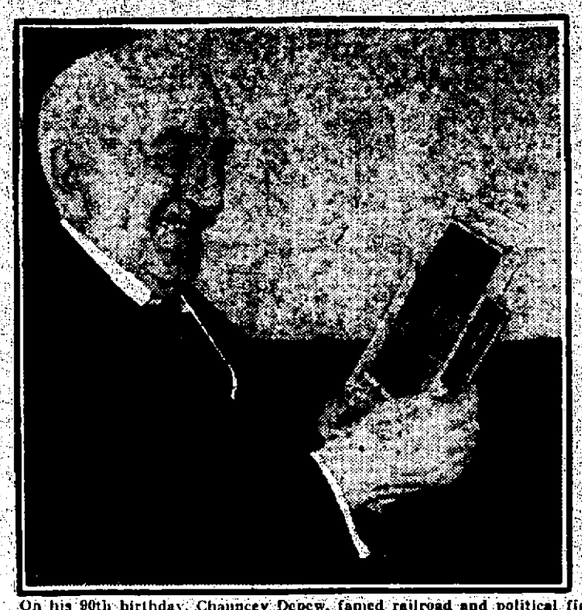
In a recent speech delivered by Mr. Bierd at Alton, Ill., he was quoted as saying that there would be a meeting of railroad executives to reduce rates.

NEWSPAPERS DO NOT FEAR RADIO NEWS

New York, April 24.—No evidence that dissemination of news by radio would affect the publication or demand for newspapers was reported by a committee on radio at the opening sessions of the annual convention of the American Newspaper Publishers association.

"At present, the radio broadcasting stations of large newspapers engaged in this experiment," the committee reported, "can still be regarded as an expensive publicity feature producing an intangible, but undoubtedly valuable good will."

"BACKWARD, TURN BACKWARD—"



On his 90th birthday, Chauncey Depew, famed railroad and political figure, sees himself as he was half a century ago.

Seven U. S. Balloons After New Records

Leave Kelly Field, Texas—Take Course of Northward Wind.

Dallas, Tex., April 24—Balloon five, army number three, in the national race was wrecked in landing at Wapanucka, Okla., today, Lieutenant A. C. McKinley, pilot, messaged the Associated Press.

San Antonio, Texas, April 24—All seven balloons entered in the national elimination race which took the air here yesterday, were still up at noon today and flying northwestward, according to reports received here.

News dispatches indicated that the huge bags still were hovering over Oklahoma and Texas territory.

TRAVELING HIGH.

Most of the reports said the balloons were traveling high, making identification impossible. One bag was reported nearly dragging on the ground near Denton Texas early this morning.

WEATHER BALLOON.

Belleville, Ill., April 24—The balloon sighted near Manitowoc, Wis., this morning probably is the S-4 from Scott Field, in which Dr. C. L. Meisinger of the weather bureau is making observation trips, according to Commandant J. A. Degelow.

FROM WISCONSIN.

Manitowoc, Wis., April 24 — Car ferry Pere Marquette 18, wirelessed the local station that an army balloon was sighted six miles southeast of this port this morning. The bag was drifting slowly northeasterly and was sailing at a height of approximately 1,500 feet. Identification of the balloon was not made.

IN OKLAHOMA.

Chickasha, Okla., April 24—A balloon passed over Chickasha this morning drifting northeasterly.

WICHITA FALLS.

Wichita Falls, Texas, April 24—A balloon believed to have been one of the seven entries in the national elimination race, from San Antonio, passed over Wichita Falls at 5:30 this morning going northeasterly.

NEAR THE GROUND.

Denison, Texas, April 24—Traveling slowly northward and reported to be experiencing some trouble, at times almost dragging the ground, an unidentified balloon passed here this morning.

OVER ABILENE.

San Antonio, Texas, April 24—One of the seven balloons which left San Antonio yesterday in the international class passed over Abilene this morning according to a radio message.

BREAKS SPEED RECORD.

San Antonio, Tex., April 24—Shooting around a 45-mile course, Lieut. O. A. Powers at Kelly Field late Wednesday attained a speed of 174.7 miles an hour, and established a world record for the MB 3-A type of airplane. Lieut. E. L. Maughan, holder of the non-stop flight record, was only three tenths of a mile behind the winner.

DR. HELFFERICH DIES IN WRECK

Prominent German Was Foe of Dawes Debt Plan.

Berlin, April 24—The death of Dr. Karl Helfferich and his aunt in the train wreck at Bellinzona was confirmed today in a dispatch from the German consul at Lugano.

Dr. Helfferich, who was stopping at the private villa of his father-in-law on Lake Maggiore, was booked to begin a series of campaign speeches in Germany Wednesday night in the aid of the Nationalist cause.

IMPORTANT POSTS.

Dr. Karl Helfferich held many important government posts, including at various times the positions of ambassador to Russia, secretary of the interior, vice chancellor and director of the Deutsche Bank. In January 1915 during the world war, he became minister of the treasury and was in charge of German war loans.

After the war, as a member of the Reichstag he consistently opposed any government whose policies it was to pay war reparations. He came out in opposition to the report of the reparation experts under Brig-Gen. Dawes because the plan embodied, he claimed, was too burdensome for Germany to assume.

FOR WAR.

Dr. Helfferich was one of those who favored the prosecution of the war to the utmost.

His attitude toward the reichstag brought him into conflict with that body which responded to his attacks by holding up his salary as vice chancellor and in 1917 he resigned.

His hobby was the rentenmark, which represented Germany's first attempt to stabilize her currency and which is still in use pending the creation of the gold bank of issue provided in the Dawes report.

ESTIMATE IS DEAD.

Bellinzona, Switzerland, April 24—The latest estimate of the casualties of the collision of the two express trains near here yesterday give the deaths as 13.

SCHACHT NOT DEAD.

Berlin, April 24—(AP)—The report that Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, president of the German Reichsbank, was one of those killed in the wreck at Bellinzona is unfounded.

J. H. CARTWRIGHT, OLD JUSTICE, ILL

Oregon, Ill., April 24—James H. Cartwright, oldest justice of the Illinois supreme court, is ill at his home here, but it is not believed his condition is serious, although he is eighty-two years of age.

Erma Tells Wild Tale Of Bold, Bad Bandits

BLOOMINGTON, Ill., April 24—Pretty, bobbed haired Erma Ferris, 17 years old, who had been employed as a maid at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Livingston for three weeks broke down under questioning at police headquarters last night and confessed to having attempted to steal some $3,000 worth of goods, including some diamonds and jewelry from her employers.

Previous to her confession she had told a wild story of having been attacked at the front door of the house by three negroes who bore her upstairs, then threw her on a bed and bound and gagged her with a sheet and some pieces of clothing and looted the place.

The girl was found when the occupants of the house returned yesterday afternoon lying bound and gagged on a bed.

All of the property was recovered. She was taken to the county jail where she is being held with bonds fixed at $3,000.

FOES FLAYED BY DAUGHERTY

Former Cabinet Official Bitterly Assails Political Opponents.

Columbus, O., April 24.—Bitterly assailing the influences which brought about his retirement from President Coolidge's cabinet and voicing a warning that the "very foundation of this government is threatened by present methods of investigations," H. M. Daugherty told an audience of friends and neighbors here last night that he had given up his cabinet post rather than "contribute to a treasonable cause."

Communism and its alleged influence in the federal government through certain senators was discussed at length, the former attorney general charging that the Communist interest in Moscow was directing propaganda in this country to the end of causing revolution.

HITS RADICALS.

"There have been too many pilgrimages of late to Moscow and too few to Mount Vernon, Springfield, Ill., and Canton and Marion, Ohio," he shouted, digressing for a moment from his prepared address.

He named Senators Wheeler and Brookhart as having "spent last summer in Russia with their Soviet friends."

Commenting on his refusal to turn over to the Wheeler investigating committee department of justice files which action precipitated the request by the president for his resignation, Mr. Daugherty said:

HIS "SACRIFICE."

"I preferred to permit my integrity to be questioned and my honor to hang in the balance rather than surrender the files in the keeping of the department of justice."

Vouchsafing his friendship for President Coolidge, Mr. Daugherty said that though the president and himself have had an unpleasant experience they "have had no quarrel."

PAYING EXPENSES.

Mr. Daugherty said that Frank A. Vanderlip, whom he characterized as a man of "peculiar mentality," was paying most of the expense of the Wheeler investigation committee.

Concluding, the former cabinet member declared that "the signs of the times are ominous. We are in the midst of a situation, many of its aspects unprecedented in the history of our country. I sound a warning note to every American tonight. The enemy is at the gate.

"He aims at nothing short of the overthrow of the institutions which are your protection and mine against tyranny, whether exercised in the name of monarch or in the name of mob. Do not under-estimate the power of this unpatriotic leadership and its combinations and relationships at home and abroad. Its designs against historical Americanism are far-reaching."

NEW CHARGES.

New York, April 24—A letter sent to Secretary Mellon, charging that under Attorney General Daugherty breweries were permitted to make real beer, was made public today by O. S. Poland, counsel for the Anti-Saloon League of New York. Mr. Poland's letter requested Mr. Mellon to obtain a ruling from Attorney General Stone on the seizure of breweries.

WANT JAPS ON SAME BASIS AS OTHER NATIONS

New York, April 24—The passage of an immigration bill by congress that would place Japan on the same basis as other nations is favored by a committee of directors of the National Security League. Such a bill, says the statement issued by the committee, would mean that the number of Japanese to be admitted would be less than 150 annually.

"It is obvious" says the statement, "that sound policy and a judicial attitude make it incumbent upon the United States to avoid wounding the feeling or susceptibilities of any nation and we regret to note the readiness to do this on the part of congress."

YOUNG LEEDS SAYS KING TRADE POOR

New York, April 24.—William B. Leeds, Jr., and his wife, Princess Xenia, sailed for Europe Wednesday on the Berengaria. They said they expected to return in July.

Leeds laughed when his attention was called to newspaper reports that he was considering acceptance of the crown of Albania.

"If I were going to be king I'd pick a better place than that," he said. "I am an American citizen and propose to make America my home."

"OUTDOOR" PARLEY SET FOR MAY 22

Washington, April 24—Call was issued Wednesday by President Coolidge for a national conference on outdoor recreation to meet May 22 to 24 in Washington.

Democrats Rejoice Over Pinchot's Fall

Say Chances For Victory Boom With Continued Turmoil In G. O. P. Ranks.

By MARK SULLIVAN.

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Washington, D. C., April 24.—The defeat of Governor Pinchot in Pennsylvania for delegate to the Republican National convention was more talked about in Washington today than any other incident of this week's primaries.

The Democrats take the view that the more victories the Republican organization wins over men like Pinchot, the better it will be for the Democratic party in the election.

That all depends, however, on whom the Democrats nominate for the Presidency.

NOT A "WET".

If the Democrats nominate a "Wet," obviously they cannot make any capital out of the fact that the principal "Dry" Republican governor has been repudiated by his party organization.

More immediately the defeat of Pinchot has given rise to a determination on the part of the Democrats in the Senate, together with some Republicans, to insist on the senatorial investigation of prohibition enforcement under Secretary Mellon and to insist also on the selection of Francis J. Heney as counsel for the committee to conduct the investigation.

COMES UP MAY 6.

This question will come up in the Senate on May 6 in two forms: One will be a vote on a resolution introduced by Senator Watson of Indiana to dismiss the committee and end the investigation of Mr. Mellon.

The other will take the form of a vote on the resolution introduced by a Democrat, Senator Jones of New Mexico, to continue the committee in existence, to broaden its powers, and to employ counsel. If Senator Watson's resolution is defeated, and if Senator Jones' resolution wins, the committee will then be empowered to employ any counsel they please and it is their intention in that event to select Heney. The debate on this question will be very spirited, and the vote will be close.

REPORT MAJORITY.

The Democrats and the others who favor investigating prohibition enforcement claim to have taken a poll of the senate and to have found a majority of at least eight in their favor.

To avoid misunderstanding of this situation, it is necessary to remember that it began as long ago as last January, in an exchange of rather acrimonious letters between Secretary Mellon and Senator Couzens of Michigan. When Secretary Mellon gave out his tax reduction plan, Senator Couzens of Michigan questioned the accuracy of some of the more intricate figures in the Mellon plan. To this Secretary Mellon replied with a rather stiff letter. Thereupon Senator Couzens talked back in another letter.

COUZEN'S STAND.

Senator Couzens seemed to feel that he knows the science of figures as well as Secretary Mellon, because he made his fortune as a partner of Henry Ford, and as such had charge of the accounting end of the business. This exchange between Secretary Mellon and Senator Couzens was snappish and appears to have left some scars.

Subsequently, in March, the Senate appointed a committee to investigate the internal revenue department which is under Secretary Mellon.

TO FIND DEFECTS.

The language of the senate resolution appointing the committee, and the whole spirit of the occasion, was to the effect that the intention of the committee was merely to find defects in the income tax law which should be remedied by congress. Senator Couzens was put on the committee and became its most active member. As such he directed the work of the committee toward the matters as to which he had had his personal controversy with Mellon.

After the committee had been at work some weeks, Senator Couzens became over-burdened and ill. At the same time, Governor Pinchot, suggested to Senator Couzens that Frank Heney would be a good man to help him. Senator Couzens got the

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Woman May Wield Gavel At Gotham

Democrats Consider Innovation; Rumor Mrs. Catt.

New York, April 24.—A woman, for the first time in the history of the country's major political parties, may sound the keynote of the Democratic party's 1924 principles and preside as temporary chairman of the Democratic national convention in Madison Square Garden next June.

The possibility was admitted when it was reliably reported last night that the sub-committee on convention arrangements had the choice of a woman under consideration. The sub-committee's choice will not be made known until after the middle of May.

CONSIDERABLE FAVORS.

There was no denial that the suggestion had been made and received with considerable favor and the sub-committee was said to have gone so far as to discuss several of the party's foremost women politicians. It was reported that the name of Carrie Chapman Catt had been brought into the discussion in connection with the post.

Tex Rickard, lessee of Madison Square Garden, has presented the national committee with a rent-free lease to the garden.

BRITISH ARE 2,000 MILES IN THE LEAD

Weather Still Delays Major Martin.

Karachi, Bombay, India, April 24—(AP)—Stuart MacLaren, the British aviator who is attempting a flight around the world, arrived here at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening from Bandar Abbas, Persia.

(MacLaren has now flown about 4,890 miles.)

MAJOR MARTIN STILL DELAYED.

Cordova, Alaska, April 24—Continuation of the American round the world airplane flight Wednesday awaited the arrival of Major Frederick L. Martin at Dutch Harbor, Alaska, to join the other three flyers who are there. Major Martin, who is ready to make the flight from Kanatak to Dutch Harbor in his plane, which has been repaired since being forced down a week ago, was delayed by bad weather.

(Martin has flown approximately 2,800 miles.)

JOBLESS; FOLLOWS "STEVE BRODIE"

New York, April 24.—Joseph Burke, who leaped from the center span of Brooklyn bridge into the East river because, he said, he was out of work and down to his last nickel, is expected to recover.

RIFFIAN LEADER SUES FOR PEACE

London, April 24—Abd Elkrim, Riffian rebel leader, appealed to Premier Macdonald to invite Spain to cease war and discuss peace provided the independence of the Riff territory is not compromised.

REPORT BRITISH TO RECOGNIZE GREEKS

London, April 24.—While no official confirmation is available, it is reported today that Great Britain is about to recognize the Greek republic.

SON KILLS FATHER ABUSING MOTHER

Chicago, April 24.—Charles Geltzmo was shot and killed Wednesday night by his son, Dominick, 15, after the boy tried in vain to stop his father from beating his mother. The boy surrendered to the police.

The Weather

Chicago, April 24—Following are the weather indications for Illinois: [illegible] generally cloudy [illegible] Friday [illegible]

LOCAL OBSERVATIONS.

Following is the range of temperature as recorded by Prof. J. H. Cosgrove, United States weather observer:

7 a. m. Thursday	[illegible]
Highest, Thursday	[illegible]
7 a. m. Wednesday	[illegible]
Lowest, Wednesday	[illegible]
Same date (Hottest date)	[illegible]
Same date	[illegible]

WEATHER MAP.

Chicago, April 24.—[illegible] generally cloudy, [illegible] Northwest, [illegible] West, [illegible] Southwest, [illegible] Ohio Valley, [illegible]

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Friday, A Day of Opportunity in Our Bargain Basement

Read On— For you well remember our last Big Bargain Event. This one is even larger, for we have advertised 103 exceptional items, and there are as many more not advertised. In some cases the Quantities are limited, sizes broken or the merchandise slightly soiled, but it will be worth your while to be the first shopper Friday morning. For the early shopper gets the best bargains. SALE STARTS PROMPTLY AT 8:30 A. M.

25 ONLY— Sport Scarfs Slightly imperfect; each $1.89

40 PAIRS ONLY— Children's Slippers Sizes 8½ to 11 ..... $1.49

60 PAIRS ONLY— Misses' Slippers Sizes 11½ to 2; price $1.98

39 PAIRS ONLY— Strap Slippers One-strap Cuban heel; pair $1.98

89 PAIRS ONLY— Ladies' High Shoes Per pair 59c

106 PAIRS ONLY— Baby Soft Sole Slippers and shoes 49c

72 PAIRS ONLY— Children's Socks Plain and fancy top; pair 19c

24 PAIRS ONLY— Women's Hose Fibre silk and lisle; pair 24c

48 PAIRS ONLY— Women's Silk Hose Plain and fancy; pair 98c

36 PAIRS ONLY— Wom. Lisle Pants Fine quality; each 19c

48 ONLY— Envelope Chemise Fine ribbed; each 49c

12 PAIRS ONLY— Children's Bloomers Fine ribbed; black; each 39c

14 ONLY— Supporters For children; Kernes brand; each 39c

10 ONLY— Boys' Night Shirts Priced at each 49c

16 ONLY— Flannel Dresses Sizes 16 to 40; each $9.85

12 ONLY—WOOL & Jersey Dresses Sizes 16 to 38; each $5.95

29 ONLY— Girls' Hats Pique and Organdie; each 49c

63 ONLY— Boys' Hats Wash styles; each 10c

42 ONLY— Infants' Shirts Oddments of many makes; ea. 39c

60 ONLY— Wash Blouses Of dimity; broken sizes $1.39

142 YDS. ONLY— Ling. Ribbon In Blue Bird Patterns; yard 7c

75 YARDS ONLY— Lingerie Ribbon In pretty blue and white; yard 10c

4 ONLY— Umbrellas All silk; sun and rainproof; $9 to $10 values $5.98

4 ONLY— Fireless Cookers Slightly shop worn; regular $35 value for $19.98

42 ONLY—BOYS' Wash Suits Fast colors; sizes two to four years; each $1.29

11 ONLY—SERGE Child'ns Dresses Six to ten years; each $1.95

14 ONLY—NAVY AND BLACK Suit Skirts Odd waist & length sizes $4.85

14 ONLY— Child'ns Sweat's Sizes two to four years $1.98

13 ONLY— Flowers FOR TRIMMINGS Regular 98c value; each 67c

45 PAIRS ONLY— Silk Gloves Two-clasp style; pair 79c

6 PAIRS ONLY— Gloves Chamoisette; 16-button; pair 79c

30 PAIRS ONLY— Kid Gloves French kid; two-clasp; pair 59c

100 PAIRS ONLY— Gloves Chamoisette; pair 39c

75 PAIRS ONLY— Silk Gloves Two-clasp style; pair 39c

85 PAIRS ONLY— Kid Gloves Two-clasp style; slightly soiled 39c

18 PAIRS ONLY— Gloves Chamoisette; 16-button style; pr. 89c

25 ONLY— Corsets For stout women; sizes 37 to 42; each $1.49

25 ONLY— Corsets R. &G.; very low waist; back lacing; each $2.49

50 DOZEN ONLY— Oddments of Dinnerware at HALF PRICE

150 ONLY— DECORATED Plates Your choice, each 10c

60 ROLLS ONLY— Cotton Batting Large size; for quilts; per roll 45c

150 YARDS ONLY— Cretonne 36 inches wide; heavy grade; yd. 45c

375 ONLY— Hair Nets Sophia 25c quality; double; cap and fringe; each 10c

375 ONLY— SINGLE MESH Hair Nets Sophia 25c quality; each 5c

25 ONLY— Rag Rugs Combination of color; each $1.99

14 ONLY— Army Blankets Slightly imperfect $1.95

25 ONLY— Lariat Ropes 25 feet long; braided and oiled; each 75c

25 ONLY— Trench Shovels Strictly new; each 50c

17 ONLY— Rain Coats For boys and girls; all new; each $1.98

19 ONLY— Leather Jergens Well made; all sizes; at each $3.95

15 ONLY— Leather Coats Just the thing for camping; each $9.98

10 BARS Soap Sunny Monday; one bar Fairy and 1 box Gold Dust 43c

1 LARGE BOX OF GOLD DUST One Fairy Soap for 25c

36 ONLY— Heavy Spades With "D" shaped handles 75c

1200 ONLY— Wat. Glasses Heavy; Colonial design; each 3c

50 GALLONS ONLY Paint For outside use; at HALF PRICE.

23 ONLY— Knitted Dish Cloths 18x18 size; each 10c

75 ONLY— Curtain Rods Single rods; each 10c

75 ONLY—DOUBLE Curtain Rods Your choice, each 15c

25 ONLY— Silk Remnants In lengths up to 1 yard; each 49c

30 ONLY— Silk Remnants In lengths up to 1¾ yards; each 79c

35 ONLY— Silk Remnants In lengths up to 1¾ yards; each 98c

30 ONLY— Silk Remnants In lengths up to 2 yds.; ea. $1.68

40 ONLY— Silk Remnants In lengths up to 2½ yards; each $2.50

20 ONLY— Silk Remnants In lengths up to 3 yards; each $3

20 ONLY— Silk Remnants In lengths up to 3¾ yards; each $3.50

15 YARDS ONLY— Braid Edges and Fringes For trimmings; yard 29c

200 PIECES ONLY Stick'i Edg'ng Scalloped wash edge; in colors; three-yard pieces 7c

175 PIECES ONLY Stick'i Edg'ng For trimmings; three-yard pieces for 11c

100 YARDS ONLY Belting Belting is broad in three widths; choice, yard 11c

40 PKGS. ONLY— Envelopes Good quality; mostly all white; a few colors; bunch 9c

20 QUIRES ONLY— Corres. Paper Good quality; quire 18c

50 ONLY— Candles Fancy colored; each 5c

50 ONLY—CHILD'NS Hand Bags Black, red, blue; chain handles; each 24c

450 ONLY— Beads 450 bunches; all colors; bunch 6c

125 YARDS ONLY— Emb. Edges Three to four inches wide; 10c and 12½c values; yard 5c

75 YARDS ONLY— Embroid. Edges Two to five inches wide; 15c and 30c values; yard 10c

95 YARDS ONLY Camisole Edges One to three inches wide; 25c and 35c values; yard 15c

69 YARDS ONLY— Camisole Emb. 12 to 18 inches wide; 39c and 50c values; yard 19c

20 ONLY— Guimpes Of real Irish and Filet nets; each $4.39

17 ONLY— Collars Of lace; all imported laces; each $1.99

16 ONLY— Collar, Cuff Sets Made of lace; for $1.19

15 ONLY— Neckwear Odd lots of beautiful pieces; for $2.69

100 PKGS. ONLY— Perfume In fancy dozen and half dozen packages; bottle 29c

31 ONLY— Bag Tops In silver and green gold; each 79c

6 ONLY—CARD Table Covers Some finished; some stamped 79c

75 BALLS ONLY— Angora Yarns For trimming; ball 79c

25 ONLY— Gasoline Gauge For Fords; each 79c

100 SKEINS ONLY —SILK Embroidery Floss Black and colors; two skeins for 5c

105 ONLY— Army Boilers Made of heavy plate tin; each 98c

25 ROOMS ONLY— Wall Paper Complete for rooms 12x14— Choice $1.49

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25 ONLY— Turkish Towels 16x24 size; each 10c

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175 YARDS ONLY— Unbleach. Muslin 39 inches wide; seven yards for $1.00

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DEER PARK TO BE CLOSED THIS YEAR

Illinois Beauty Spot Has No Parking Space.

NEAR STARVED ROCK

May Find Solution to Traffic Problem.

La Salle, April 24.—Deer Park, one of the principal beauty spots of the scenic Illinois valley, will be closed to the tourist public this year, according to an announcement issued today by F. G. Trenary, agent for the Matthiessen estate, owners of the park.

Deer Park, located near Starved Rock, has long been a favorite spot for tourists who will learn with regret news of its being closed.

NO DRIVES.

Inadequacy of driveways, paths, also parking spaces and other facilities is given as the reason for this action.

It was stated in the announcement, however, that in the event that subsequent changes provide the park with suitable accommodations, it may again be thrown open to visitors, but in the interim it was deemed advisable to close the gates.

TEXT OF STATEMENT.

Mr. Trenary in his statement said:

"Notice is hereby given that Deer Park will not be open to the public this year.

"The driveways, paths, shelters, automobile parking stands and other necessary facilities have become entirely inadequate for the protection and accommodation of the constantly increasing numbers that visit the park.

"Therefore the owners have reluctantly decided to close the entire grounds, at least until suitable accommodations can be arranged for safely and properly caring for visitors."

"Advertisements to this effect are being inserted in newspapers for a radius of twenty-five miles around LaSalle so as to notify the thousands of visitors who annually come from that section.

"The closing," said Mr. Trenary, "is merely a precautionary move. The present parkways and driveways are inadequate for the tremendous influx of visitors and we feared that with the present equipment accidents would become more numerous than heretofore."

MAY FIND SOLUTION.

It was stated that there might be some plans evolved in the forthcoming months whereby the facilities would be increased, whereupon the park would be re-opened to the visiting public. In the meantime, however, the bars will be up.

During the last two or three years thousands of visitors have annually enjoyed the beauties of Deer Park, but the huge crowds, particularly on holidays, have shown clearly the inadequacy of the parking spaces, the driveways, etc.

It was also believed that if the park were closed for a year or some such space of time it would afford the grass and shrubs an opportunity to return to a normal and healthy condition once more.

DECLARES PEPGEN SAVED HER LIFE

Mrs. H. B. Andrews, 2345 Geddis Ave., Decatur, says: "When I started to take Pepgen I had a pain around my heart which was very alarming. It was always worse after eating a hearty meal. My food soured on my stomach, gas formed and pressed up against my heart and then came that awful pain. I could hardly get my breath.

"I became a regular martyr to sick headaches. I had attacks of heartburn that lasted for hours. I was constipated, too, and had to be constantly resorting to the use of laxatives.

"I was in a badly run down condition of health. I couldn't sleep soundly; my nerves were raw and 'edgy;' my appetite dwindled away to about nothing; what little food I ate was not sufficient to give me much strength.

"I heard about Pepgen. I got it. Almost from the very first day I began to improve. My appetite came back. I gained several pounds. I did not dread to see night come because I could sleep soundly. And my liver became active and I didn't have to take laxatives.

"I haven't had a headache for a long time. From my own experience I'm sure that Pepgen will help every person who tries it for ailments such as I had. I actually believe it saved my life."

Pepgen has relieved hundreds of Decatur people of gas on the stomach, heartburn, bloated feelings, sour stomach, sick headaches, nervousness, pains in the back, and habitual constipation. Why not you?

Pepgen is sold in Decatur only at the Decatur Drug Co. It may also be obtained at one leading drug store in every nearby town which may be known by a Pepgen sign.

FIRST CHRISTIAN PROGRAM TONIGHT

Sunday School Orchestra to Appear at 8 O'Clock.

A delightful program has been arranged by the Sunday school orchestra of the First Christian church for the concert which will be given in the church at 8 o'clock Thursday evening. In addition to the numbers by the orchestra, there will be special solo numbers and readings by other young people not connected with the First Christian church. Leo Anderson will play a 'cello solo, there will be two vocal solos by Miss Grace Sollars, readings by Miss Marie Cline, Miss Duggan, and Miss Verne Miller and two piano duets.

The orchestra, which is composed of twenty pieces, is just a new organization. A fee of twenty-five cents will be charged for the concert, the money to be used for the benefit of the orchestra.

POLICE NOTES.

George Smith, 845 East Condit, and Chester Miller, 601 North Witt, were arrested Wednesday evening for fighting. Justice Dickinson fined each $6.15.

Peter Beaver, traveling salesman, was arrested for driving an automobile while intoxicated.

Jona Borden, 1365 West Decatur, was arrested for speeding. He gave bond to appear before Justice Lloyd April 28.

BAND CONCERT TO ADVERTISE

Will Be Given Sunday in Fairview Park.

The first, and possibly the only open-air band concert of the season will be given by the Goodman band in Fairview park Sunday afternoon. This concert is given by the band to advertise its spring festival, to be held at the Downing tract just north of the city May 5 to 10, inclusive. The Morris & Castle shows, which appeared here last year in a benefit for the band, will be the attraction. The band hopes to be able to realize enough from the week's entertainment to pay the balance due on the new uniforms purchased last year and also to have something left over for running expenses.

The five handsome prizes to be given in the queen contest are now on display in the window of the Barber jewelry store on Water street. There will be a queen and four maids of honor, and Saturday evening, May 10, the band will escort them to all the different shows and amusement devices.

POSTPONE FISHING ASSOCIATION MEET

Annual Election Set for Next Wednesday Night.

The annual meeting of the Lake Decatur Fishing association, twice postponed because of insufficient attendance, has again had its date advanced. The meeting called for Friday night in the county court rooms has been postponed until Wednesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the same place. The change is made on account of the Baseball Fan's association show Thursday and Friday nights.

It is important that a good attendance be at the next Wednesday night meeting as important business relative to the club's activities for the year must be transacted, and officers must be elected.

The club has been active in propogating and preserving the fish life in Lake Decatur, has secured fish stock and has planted lily bulbs and wild celery as a means of food and protection for the fish.

OLD COURT HOUSE INTERESTS CAMPERS

News to Most Tourists That "Old Shack" is so Noted.

"This would be a mighty purty place if that old shack was tore down," remarked one of Decatur's campers as he viewed the old Lincoln cabin. When told of the history of the "old shack" he was awed into silence and conceded that the cabin should be left standing.

Interest in the Lincoln cabin is shown by practically every visitor to the Dreamland camping grounds. To most people the fact that Lincoln formerly visited this city is news.

The camp has had at least one visitor every night. Due to the chilly winds that have been sweeping over the hills the camping party that came in Tuesday evening pitched their tent in the hollow.

Polly Slips Away From Home

Coaxing Fails to Bring Her Back.

After all there is nothing like being your own boss. Polly came to this conclusion after a long sojourn in a mean old cage and having to eat just what was put before her. Well, Polly took a journey Saturday and probably will be lecturing soon on "Why Parrots Leave Home" or "How I Earned My First Chicken Bone." Of course, it was terribly mean in Polly leaving her devoted adopted mother but she just had to do it.

SLIPPED AWAY.

Every day, Polly watched her chance to slip away but it was so long in coming. Then one day just a minute of negligence on the part of the adopted mother and Polly was through the window. Now she hovers in 1500 block East Main street and quarrels with the sparrows, robins and the rest of the bird family who don't like her color or her sass.

COAXING FAILED.

However, even a parrot can't roam around freely without the town talking about her and her adopted mother soon learned where Polly was residing. Sunday morning, instead of putting on her nice Easter clothes as she would ordinarily have done, adopted mother spent the morning coaxing Polly to come home. But Polly was adamant.

One of Polly's neighbors was placed in her cage underneath the tree where Polly was giving her daily lecture and coaxed for a whole afternoon to get her erring sister to come home but Polly would not. When Sunday evening came, and the chill of night settled down on her tree if Polly wished for her cage and warm cover which she had every night she gave no sign of it.

GONE AGAIN.

Monday morning Polly was gone. She is no doubt looking for a more appreciative audience than her first one. After all, genius is never recognized in the village of its birth. However, adopted mother is worried and wonders if Polly is cold. Above all she wishes Polly would come home.

24 STUDENTS AT STATE UNIVERSITY

Members D. H. S. Social Science Club and Advisor Make Trip.

Members of the Social Science club of the Decatur High school with their advisor, Miss Gertrude Hill, visited the University of Illinois Wednesday on a sight-seeing trip of points of interest about the state school. The party, twenty-four in number, made the trip in a bus, leaving Decatur at noon and returning at 8 o'clock.

Among the points visited were the Lincoln hall museum, Women's building and the Natural History building.

Those who made the trip were: George Henry, Lois Hardbarger, Mildred Wickersham, Grace Cummings, Margaretha Haas, Jane Stewart, Dorothy Keller, Dorothy Austin, Herbert Hawkins, Wayne Michl, Everette Lily, John Foale, Roger Lowe, Charlotte Uhl, George Knisely, Angeline Kincaide, Betty Curran, Louise Pringle, Paul Thistlewait, Teresa Dorean, Oscar Coay, Adalaide Pease, Agnes Koscielny and Marion Benton.

TO CONSECRATE BISHOP MAY 14

Big Episcopal Service in Springfield.

Venerable John Chandler White, archdeacon of Springfield and rector of Trinity church, Lincoln, will be consecrated as bishop of the Springfield diocese of the Episcopal church Wednesday, May 14. The consecration service will be held in St. Paul's Episcopal church, Springfield.

The consecrator will be Rt. Rev. Ethelbert Talbot, bishop of Bethlehem, Pa., presiding bishop of the Episcopal church, while Rt. Rev. Irving Peake Johnson of Denver, bishop of Colorado, will preach the sermon. A number of other bishops will be present, among them Rt. Rev. Edward Fawcett, bishop of Quincy.

Archdeacon White was elected bishop of Springfield February 19 to succeed the late Rt. Rev. Granville Hudson Sherwood. The consent of a majority of the bishops and a majority of the standing committees to the election is necessary and the consent of almost all these men has been received.

MUCH THROAT TROUBLE NOW

Little Influenza, Visiting Nurses Report.

"We have had considerable pneumonia, bronchitis and tonsilitis this winter and spring but very little influenza in Decatur," said Miss Stella Becker, head of the Visiting Nurse association, Wednesday when asked whether the war-time ailment had any hold here as it has seemed to have acquired in some other cities.

"There have been a very few cases of what the doctors called light influenza attacks but they have been few and not of a serious character."

Scores of Babies Tax Visiting Nurses

Three Sets of Twins in One Month.

Crop reports on wheat may not be very satisfactory. There may be a other crops may be light but the other crops my be light but the members of the staff of the Visiting Nurse association are willing to take the stand to testify that the baby crop in Decatur is one of the biggest ever.

The increase in the interest of the work of the association and the determined desire of prospective mothers to know all that they can know about caring for themselves and the coming babies have brought to the nurses so much work that they cannot keep up with the demands on their time.

"In the short month of February we took care of three sets of twins," said Miss Stella Becker, head of the nursing force, in speaking of the increase in their "business."

"We usually think that that many twins in a year is surprising. But three sets in one month, and that the shortest in the year, was a new record."

GUARDS PREPARE FOR ANNUAL CAMP

Camp Grant to Be Largest in History.

Officers of the National Guard units in Decatur and the surrounding territory are beginning to groom their units in preparation for the annual National Guard encampment to be held at Camp Grant, Rockford, Aug. 9 to 23.

The camp this summer will be the largest that Decatur units have ever attended. In the past, the 130th Infantry, of which the three Decatur units are a part, have camped as a regiment and separate from the other units of the 33d division. This year the entire 33d Division, less two regiments of Field Artillery, will camp together and the Decatur men will make up part of the 6,000 or more men who will occupy Camp Grant at one time.

SPEND $225,000.

Since the state has acquired the Camp Grant site, more than $225,000 has been spent on improvements and in enlarging the camp. New mess shacks and other buildings have been erected and when the period opens, the men will occupy one of the best equipped camps in the United States.

Besides the 130th Infantry, to which the Decatur companies belong, the 129th Inf. made up of men from the northern part of the state outside Chicago, the 131st and 132nd Infantry regiments from Chicago, the 8th Infantry, colored, made up of two battalions of Chicago men and one battalion composed of companies from Danville, Quincy, Springfield and Peoria, and the 106th Cavalry from Springfield and Urbana will all be in camp at the same time.

General Milton J. Foreman, commanding the 33d Division, will command the camp.

DEATHS

MRS. J. N. TINKHAM.

Mrs. J. N. Tinkham died Tuesday at her home in St. Louis, according to word received in Decatur Wednesday. She was a sister of Mrs. D. V. Burns.

Many years ago Mrs. Tinkham was a resident of Decatur and will be remembered by many of the old citizens. Beside her sister she leaves one daughter, Mrs. S. H. Elsewett of St. Louis.

Constipation and Sluggish Liver

Don't take chances. Get immediately CARTER'S Little Liver Pills. They never fail to make the liver do its duty. They relieve constipation, banish indigestion, drive out biliousness, stop dizziness, clear the complexion, put a healthy glow on the cheek and sparkle in the eye. Be sure and get the genuine.

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When you get hungry for a new CANDY at home—try this!

SLICE up a few bars of Oh Henry! and serve it on a bon-bon dish!

Have it handy for Dad when he sits down to read, and wants a dish of good candy handy.

Have it to nibble at when you're playing Mah Jongg or bridge.

And then, at tea-time, a dish of sliced Oh Henry! will give you a novelty in candies that will please everyone. Oh Henry! is a *fine* candy in a *convenient* size.

OH HENRY! is a new way to sell a *fine* candy. Instead of being boxed expensively as its quality deserves, it's simply and inexpensively wrapped. But the difference is this: when you hunger for candy, as a rule you want just a taste, not a whole box.

But to get good candy you have to pay for a box. Oh Henry! changed that. Oh Henry! is a fine candy, made in the convenient size of a bar so that people like you, who want just a few mouthfuls of good candy, can get it without buying more than you want.

Oh Henry! comes as a surprise to most people tasting it for the first time. People look at its form, and say "Oh! a bar!" and then they taste it, and instead of a bar, it's a *fine* candy, a *new* taste and a delicious one.

Imagine a rich butter cream, silkily smooth in texture, dipped in a luscious, chewy caramel, and then rolled in crispy, crackling nutmeats, and all of it given a rich overcoating of fine Milk Chocolate. That's Oh Henry! Doesn't it sound good?

Oh Henry! is the biggest selling candy bar in America, more than ELEVEN MILLION bars being bought every month in this year.

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6443 $2.00

The finished art of de Luca is again exemplified in these two numbers of highly dramatic character.

Silver Threads Among the Gold (Rexford-Danks) — Amelita Galli-Curci
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Those who have never heard these old favorite melodies sung by a really great voice will be thrilled by the beauty of these interpretations. It is a record of unusual interest.

Melodious Instrumental

Orpheus in Hades—Overture—Part I (Offenbach)
Orpheus in Hades—Overture—Part II (Offenbach)
Victor Symphony Orchestra — 35741 — 1.25

One of the most brilliant of Offenbach's many overtures. Played by a full symphony orchestra, with all its gorgeousness of color and richness and accuracy of detail. A selection you probably know; a record you will want to own.

Light Vocal Selections

Fallen Leaf (V. Lopez-F. Lopez) — Elsie Baker
At Eventime (Tweedy-Carey) — Elsie Baker
45392 — 1.00

"Fallen Leaf" is an excellent example of the love-songs built musically on themes of the American Indian. "At Eventime" is a fine companion song. Both numbers are beautifully sung and recorded.

Lazy — The Brox Sisters
Cover Me Up With the Sunshine of Virginia — The Brox Sisters
19298 — .75

First Victor Record by the Brox sisters, who have been singing in the Music Box Revue and elsewhere. The songs are big successes, and as usual the Victor presents them by the singers who "created" them for the public.

When Lights are Low — Marcia Freer
What's To-day Got to Do With To-Morrow — Peerless Quartet
19300 — .75

The first a waltz song for a lovely contralto voice, the second a swinging fox-trot type with ringing vocal harmonies for four men's voices. Exceptionally fine popular numbers—and records.

(1) Who Knows (2) The Two Clocks (3) Cuckoo in the Clock (4) Fairies — Anna Howard-Laura Littlefield
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19272 — .75

Charming selections for two sopranos. Primarily made for educational purposes, but they are music more than pedagogy, and are delightful to listen to for their own sake.

Dance Records

What'll I Do—Waltz
Lazy—Fox Trot
Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra — 19299 — .75

The first number will be especially welcomed, as Paul Whiteman has not recorded many waltzes. With "Lazy," a fox trot of the big-hit sort, it makes a record that will become one of your dance favorites.

After the Storm—Fox Trot
Hula Lou—Fox Trot
The Troubadours — 19296 — .75

"After the Storm" introduces a real storm with a ninety-mile wind and a vocal refrain with Clifford Cairns as soloist. "Hula Lou" introduces Frank Ferera's Hawaiian guitar. Splendid numbers to dance to or just to hear.

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COUNTY OFFICIALS PALLBEARERS FOR VICTIM OF FIGHT

Lincoln, April 24—County officials and deputies were pallbearers at the funeral Wednesday afternoon for Bruce Thompson, court house custodian, who was shot by Night Police Captain Otto Seitz Sunday night.

The pallbearers who have offices in the county building where Thompson was employed, were Deputy Sheriff John Perry, Circuit Clerk Vincent Jones, County Clerk, D. S. Mowry, County Treasurer, Ben H. Pegram, Deputy Circuit Clerk Howard Engle and Assistant Superintendent of County Schools A. C. Wacaser.

Services were held at the First Christian church at 2 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. L. H. Hoge. Burial was in Union cemetery. The services at the church were largely attended by relatives and friends.

INQUEST SOON.

The coroner's inquest will be held in the near future, pending the recovery of Captain Seitz, who was severely wounded, and who will testify at the inquest when called.

Coroner C. B. Taylor adjourned the inquest Tuesday afternoon, subject to call, after the jury, of which Fred Gehlbach is foreman, had viewed the body.

NEPHEW ARRESTED.

Oscar "Nig" Thompson, nephew of Bruce Thompson, who also took part in the fight between his uncle and the two policemen, was apprehended here at 11 o'clock Wednesday morning by Sheriff Albright. He has been charged by Chief of Police Hopp with assault with intent to commit murder. He is said to have struck Officer Seitz with a club, seriously injuring him during the fight.

"Nig" Thompson was arraigned before Justice of the Peace T. T. Gale immediately after his arrest, where he furnished bond in the sum of $1,500 for his appearance at a preliminary hearing May 2. His father, Ben Thompson, and an aunt, Mrs. Louise Shirk, signed the bond.

SCABBARD, BLADE STUDIES PETITION

Urbana, Ill., April 24—A committee of fifteen members of Scabbard and Blade, national honorary military fraternity, is considering the appeal of Walter A. Mueller, who was evicted for pacifism.

This committee heard Mueller's defense for two hours yesterday afternoon. Mueller admitted that while at the Garrett Biblical Institute he signed an agreement against, which was in conflict with Scabbard and Blade agreements.

WOMAN MURDERS ESTATE CARETAKER

Chicago, April 24—A young woman, believed to be Miss Wanda Stopa of Detroit, shot and killed Henry Manning, caretaker at the suburban home of Y. K. Smith, an advertising man today. The police believe the killing of the caretaker was a case of mistaken identity.

Democrats Rejoice Over Pinchot's Fall

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committee to authorize him to employ Heney, the arrangement being that Heney's fee was to be paid by Couzens personally. It was this incident that led Secretary Mellon to complain to President Coolidge that "his (Couzens) soul purpose is to vent some personal grievance against me"; and led President Coolidge to write his letter rebuking the senate for the way its committee was conducting its investigation.

ANOTHER REASON.

Also, it was this incident which the Republican organization in Pennsylvania gave as its reason for repudiating Pinchot on Tuesday, saying that Pinchot, in advising Senator Couzens to employ Heney, was disloyal to Coolidge, and to Secretary Mellon, who comes from Pennsylvania.

Much public confusion has arisen about this investigation. Because Senator Couzen's personal controversy with Secretary Mellon was about the income tax department, the public has been led to believe that this is what the committee means to investigate.

DRY ENFORCEMENT.

The fact is that the only department about which any real question is raised is prohibition enforcement. Those behind the movement to investigate say that there is no question involving senator Mellon's personal integrity; no allegation that his corporations have profited by rebate of taxes, and practically no question about income tax collections, except academic ones about the best methods.

They say their sole objective is prohibition enforcement, which composes about five per cent of Mr. Mellon's official duties. As to prohibition enforcement, they claim there have been many scandals, and they claim that the public interest demands their exposure.

IS UNDERSTOOD.

In Washington, the distinction which this article aims to make clear is understood. Washington generally sympathizes with Secretary Mellon about what seems to be attacks on his personal integrity, and about implied charges that his corporations have profited by tax rebates. Washington generally deplores the fact that the work of the senatorial investigating committee was colored by the previous personal controversy between Mellon and Couzens. But with equal unanimity Washington believes that there have been conditions in connection with prohibition enforcement which justify the demand for a properly restricted and properly conducted investigation.

SAYS U. S. OWES MUCH TO CHEMISTS

Washington, April 24—President Coolidge, speaking at the White House today to members of the American Chemical society, declared the government fittingly "should acknowledge the debt that is due to the scientists and chemists who are devoting their lives to the search for truth."

WOMEN APPROVE COOLIDGE SPEECH

Voters' League Commends Court Ideas.

Buffalo, N. Y., April 24.—President Coolidge's re-indorsement of the permanent court of international relations in his address at the annual luncheon of the Associated Press in New York Tuesday, was commended by the board of directors of the National League of Women Voters at its pre-convention session yesterday.

A telegram expressing approval of the address was dispatched to the president by Mrs. Maud W. Park, president of the league.

OTHER REFORMS.

Uniform marriage and divorce laws, political cleanups by women, more efficient school teachers, cooperative housing and protection of young Americans abroad were urged by various speakers today at the conferences.

LLOYDS CANCELS GEM INSURANCE

Huge Robbery Losses Prompt Move.

Chicago, April 24 — Contracts for jewelry insurance running into millions of dollars have been cancelled by Lloyds of London world's largest insurance company, according to today's Tribune.

Diamond losses mainly through theft, have increased in the last year more than 300 percent, precipitating Lloyds' action the Tribune says.

WITNESS FAVORABLE TO SEN WHEELER

Washington, April 24—Further direct testimony bearing on the activities here of Senator Wheeler of Montana in connection with land cases was heard today by the special senate committee investigating the senator's indictment on a charge of receiving money for appearing before the interior department in such cases.

Commissioner Spry of the department's general land office testified Mr. Wheeler came to his office but told him he only was interested in seeing that Gordon Campbell got a "square deal" from the federal government in regard to his land interests.

The commissioner added the senator had talked to him only as any other congressman might have done for a constituent.

ARREST TWO FOR ALBANIA CRIME

Rome, April 24—(AP)—Two men, considered leaders of the bandits who murdered Robert L. Coleman, San Francisco and G. B. DeLong, New York, have been arrested in Albania and are being taken to Tirana for examination, according to information received here.

A. R. LELAND ASKS $100,000 DAMAGES

Chicago, April 24.—Attorneys for Albert R. Leland, complainant in the divorce case in which the Rev. Carl D. Case of the Oak Park Baptist church was named, Wednesday filed two suits for $50,000 damages each for slander against E. L. Hartig and William Schukraft, both of Oak Park.

$7,000,000 JOB HALTED BY STRIKE

Chicago, April 24—Work on improvements valued at $7,000,000 was stopped by the city Wednesday after 200 sewer laborers employed on a system of streets on the northwest side, had gone on strike.

DECATUR FOLK TO NATIONAL C. OF C.

Will Attend Annual Meeting in Cleveland May 6-8.

At least two, and probably more men and women from Decatur will attend the annual meeting of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States to be held in Cleveland May 6 to 8, was the assurance from the Association of Commerce Thursday.

Adolph Mueller and Robert Mueller have been issued credentials as representatives of the Decatur organization. Mrs. Inez J. Bender will attend in all probability, and several other business men are expected to take advantage of the nearness of the meeting to be present.

Business and Agriculture, European Readjustment, Transportation and other timely subjects will be discussed at the convention by the greatest authorities in the nation.

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The Bob Haired Bandit.

Mrs. Celia Cooney, accused as the notorious "Bobbed Haired Bandit" of Brooklyn and New York.

GIRL BANDIT SORRY SHE SHOT VICTIM

Mrs. Cooney and Husband Plead Guilty.

New York, April 24.—In a dramatic setting, Celia Cooney, bobbed-haired bandit, and her husband, Edward, pleaded guilty to an indictment charging first degree robbery before County Judge Martin in Brooklyn Wednesday. They were remanded to jail for further hearing Tuesday. Three other indictments were returned against them.

SORRY SHE SHOT.

Asked to identify the bobbed-haired bandit, as the girl who was said to have shot him during the National Biscuit company holdup, Nathan Mazzio admitted, "Yes, that's the girl."

"Mazzio, I'm sorry you were shot. It was all a mistake," Celia said, smiling. Mazzio made no reply.

FORGER PAYS LAWYER WITH $50,000 CHECK AND MAKES GETAWAY

Clinton, April 24.—Fifty-thousand dollars for representing a farm hand who was about to be haled back to Wisconsin for juggling with checks, is a fee sufficiently large to make other lawyers envious, is it not? This was the size of a check just received by a local lawyer from one E. K. Smith, whom he had helped out of difficulty, and which clearly demonstrated to the said attorney that his client was an adept at the worthless check business.

Smith passed a worthless check for $140 in Wisconsin. He was trailed to Clinton and the sheriff came down to get him. He managed to raise the money among farmers for whom he worked here, and satisfied the Wisconsin law. Then he went to Deland and at Monticello bought a car, paying by check. The Clinton farmers sought the return of their loans.

The Monticello dealer, the only lucky man in the bunch, recovered his car.

The Clinton lawyer who represented Smith and straightened out the little affair with the Wisconsin sheriff, asked for the amount of his fee. Hence the check for $50,000. Smith has left the country.

MUSICAL COMEDY AT BLUE MOUND

Blue Mound, April 24.—The Loyal Daughters of the Christian church will give a musical comedy Friday, April 25, at eight o'clock at the Christian church. The cast:

Rev. Jack Dayton—George O'Dell.
Ezekiel Hardnut—Wayne Abel.
Obediah Hartley—Wayne Yonker.
A. M. Squalls—Opal Fleshman.
Aunt Hester Hartley—Grace Dunkleberger.
Leida Ledfoot—Muriel Carmony.
Nancy Knowsit—Mildred O'Dell.
Ileana Thinn—Myrtle Attoberry.
Elvira Snodgrass—Alta Etchison.
Gabberdene Gabber—Lena Moore.
Betty Knowles—Fay Dunkleberger.

WALLACE PUTS DR. HOUCK IN CHARGE

Washington, April 24—Orders were sent today by Secretary Wallace to Dr. Houck, in charge of the federal forces fighting the foot and mouth disease in California, to immediately take command of the California state forces and direct them in conjunction with the federal staff.

LITCHFIELD MINE FAILURE RECALLED

Litchfield, April 24 — Judge Paul McWilliams acting for Dr. June Sallee and Alderman J. H. Taylor, Tuesday filed two separate suits in city court against Dr. B. V. Barcroft as the result of failure of the Litchfield coal mine several years ago. The suits are for $1,000 and $2,500, respectively.

The suits are brought under the blue sky law. It is alleged in the bill that Dr. Barcroft sold stock in the company without complying with the Illinois security law. Both Dr. Sallee and Alderman Taylor bought stock in the company. The mine was a failure.

MACDONALD MAY FALL, GEORGE SAYS

London, April 24.—The Liberals are becoming restive under the Labor yoke and may at any time turn out the Labor government, David Lloyd George said in a speech at Llanfairfechan, Wales, Tuesday.

CRUMP ON STAND IN BURSTEIN CASE

Tells of Raid and Getting Liquor There.

Testimony in the J. M. Burstein liquor case in the county court started Wednesday afternoon. It took till 3 o'clock to secure a jury. Andrew Hopper, a C. I. & W. brakeman, was the first witness called. He testified that he had been employed occasionally by the police department. He said he had bought whisky twice at the Burstein drug store; that before buying it the first time Chief Crump and Officer Markwell had given him $5, and that he spent $1.75 for whisky.

He identified a bottle containing a quantity of liquid as one he had purchased at Burstein's and which he had taken to Short street station. On cross examination he said that he drank part of the liquor, but that there was more in the bottle when he took it to the station than there is now. He was unable to state from his own knowledge if the liquor was intoxicating. He did not say what he did with the remaining $6.25.

TELLS OF DRINKS.

William Green also testified to having purchased liquor at the Burstein drug store several times. He said he bought it drink at a time. On the stand for cross-examination Thursday morning, he said that he and Hopper went to the Burstein drug store and Hopper told Burstein his friend had a bad cough and they wanted a drink. They went behind a prescription screen and Burstein poured out a drink in a glass and added something to it from another bottle that colored the liquid. Green said he drank that and called for another. He said the two drinks were exhilarting but did not make him drunk.

Former Chief C. W. Crump was on the stand Thursday morning. He said that he gave Hopper $5 with which to purchase "evidence" wherever he could buy it; that Hopper brought him three bottles, one on Dec. 12, one on Dec. 13 and one on Dec. 14, all from the Burstein store, the one on Dec. 13 being delivered to Mr. Crump at the Short street station. Officer Markwell was with the witness at the time. The bottles were sealed and then sent to Flint, Eaton & Co., to analyze. On the night of the raid he sent Green and Hopper to the drug store, and arrived there himself as Green and Hopper emerged from behind the prescription screen. Hopper came on out of the store, but Green stopped and paid Burstein and then threw back his coat, showed his star and told Burstein he was an officer.

ATTEMPTS TO BREAK JUG.

"I told Burstein not to be scared, that no one was going to hurt him," said Mr. Crump. He led Burstein to a chair about the middle of the room and sat him down. Assistant Chief Gulliford read the search warrant. When Mr. Crump turned his back for a moment Burstein made a rush and grabbed the jug that Officer Green had just brought from behind the prescription screen and placed on the floor beside Officer Markwell. Mr. Crump grabbed Burstein and tried to keep him from breaking the jug which he was hammering on the floor. Finally, with the help of Officers Markwell and Gulliford this was accomplished and Burstein was taken back to the chair and hand-cuffed.

Acting Chief Gulliford testified to the same set of facts.

Church Notes

Social Helpers.

About twenty-five members of the Social Helpers of the First Christian church were entertained in the home of Mrs. R. E. Henry, 630 West Main, Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Ella Shelley presided over the business session and Mrs. Leland Smith was the accompanist for several songs at the opening of the meeting.

Following the business, the women enjoyed a social hour which was in charge of Mrs. Shelley and Mrs. Smith. Games and contests were played, with Mrs. Bushert, Mrs. Glasgow, Mrs. Pope and Mrs. Rose being the winners in the contests. The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Haupt.

The Sewing Circle of St. Peter's A. M. E. church will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon with Mrs. H. Hurley, 347 South Hirworth.

First Methodist W. F. M. S.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of the First Methodist church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the church parlors. Mrs. C. L. Boyer will lead the devotions, and Mrs. J. Guller will conduct the mystery box. Mrs. J. N. Judy will review chapters five and six of the study book. The hostesses will be Mrs. C. J. Pannington and Mrs. R. W. O'Bannon. The society will elect delegates to the group meeting to be held at Harristown May 2.

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HEROIC WOMEN OF HAMMOND WIPING OUT CHURCH DEBT

Hammond, April 24—Four groups of women of the Methodist church got busy on the church debt back in February, with the result that they have brought in to date $592 toward wiping out that debt.

Since the Aid Society of the Methodist church was divided into groups, all sorts of methods have been employed to get money for the cause. The groups gave dinners, placed quilts and held entertainments of different kinds to swell their totals. A big bazaar has been held recently which has greatly increased the proceeds.

The team headed by Mrs. Ohler and Mrs. Knott led the other three teams in the final totals with $154. But this team was only three dollars ahead of that captained by Mrs. Tylor and Mrs. Shuman. The other two teams were not far behind, that headed by Mrs. Betts and Mrs. Dick bringing in $146 while that led by Mrs. Boyd and Mrs. Horton rolled in $141.

ASK 50 MEN TO BE BOYS' ADVISORS

Letters Sent Out By Chairman of "Find Yourself" Campaign.

Letters have gone out from Clyde Trisch, chairman of the committee in charge of the "Find Yourself" campaign to be inaugurated beginning April 28, asking fifty men of the city to act as advisors and counsellors to the boys who will enroll in the campaign.

BOYD I. WALKER SPEAKER.

Boyd I. Walker, state Boys' Work director for the Y. M. C. A., will be the speaker at the dinner meeting of the men and boys on April 30 at 6:30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. when the campaign will be wound up with the turning in of the questionnaires stating the boys' preferences of careers.

The various men engaged in the careers specified will later confer with the boys and give them advice as to how they may best make the start along their chosen lines.

LEARN TO SWIM CAMPAIGN JUNE 9

Y. M. C. A. Preparing to Teach All Sixth Grade Boys.

Preparing for the swimming season soon to open, the Y. M. C. A. is planning to launch a city wide "Learn to Swim" campaign among the grade school boys of the city beginning June 9 and running through until June 20, the lessons to be given free for the boys in the sixth grade of the Decatur schools.

The lessons will be given in the mornings, four days a week and mass instruction in the Australian Crawl stroke will be given by J. P. Selters, physical director.

All non-swimmers in the sixth grade are eligible, but must have cards of permission from their parents.

The tennis season opened Saturday with a few players on the courts in spite of the rainy weather. During the last two or three days the courts have been filled almost every hour of the day with tennis fans preparing for the many tournaments that are being planned for the summer.

MARRIED

RYDER-SALMON.

William Ryder of Decatur and Miss Lillian Salmon of Taylorville were married Wednesday afternoon, the ceremony being performed by Judge J. H. McCoy at the court house.

Advice.

Kasper (Stockholm)—He—I had an awful shock when I looked at my cash book today. I find our car has cost us 2000 kroner in a year.

She—There! I always advised you not to keep a cash book.

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UNDER M. L. HARRY

Also Takes Over Western Illinois Co.

The Illinois Power and Light Corporation has acquired the property of the Central Illinois Electric company, it was announced in Chicago today.

The properties acquired furnish service in the Illinois towns of Buffalo, Lanesville, Mechanicsburg, Illiopolis, Niantic and Harristown. The properties are placed under the supervision and operation of the Decatur division of the Illinois Power and Light Corporation, of which M. L. Harry of Decatur, is general manager.

WESTERN SERVICE.

Officials also announced that the Illinois Power and Light Corporation had acquired the property of the Western Illinois Utilities company which renders electric service in the Illinois towns of La Harpe, Blandinsville and Stronghurst.

The last named properties will be operated from the Monmouth, Ill., office of the Illinois Power and Light Corporation by J. R. Stevenson, under the jurisdiction of the Galesburg-Monmouth division of the company, of which B. F. Carley, Galesburg, Ill., is general manager.

REV. JOHN R. LYONS HERE FOR A DAY

Wife Has Undergone Serious Operation.

Rev. John R. Lyons of Cleveland, O., for a number of years a missionary in China, is passing Thursday in Decatur the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lyons. Rev. Mr. Lyons has been in Charleston, Ill., for a couple of days with his wife, who underwent a serious operation. At the present time, Mrs. Lyons is getting along nicely.

Standard Bearers.

Miss Mildred Wells was hostess to the Standard Bearers of Grace Methodist church Tuesday evening in her home, 1714 North Main. Fourteen members and six guests were present. Miss Sydna McCaffree had the lesson and Mrs. H. F. Powell, district secretary of young people's work, made a talk to the girls and also read a letter from the place in which this organization has special work. Mrs. Leona Stoewsand sang a solo.

The society will have a membership contest, it was decided in the meeting, and Misses Ruth Deverell and Helen Stouffer were named captains of the two sides. The hostess served refreshments.

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ROY, ROY, LET US SMELL YOUR BREATH

Laredo, Tex., April 24.—Pink wildcats have been seen in Shafter, Presidio county, Tex., according to Roy Campbell, United States collector of customs, stationed at Laredo. Campbell has a tanned skin of one of the pink wildcats and has offered it to the Smithsonian institution.

ROAD CONDITIONS ABOUT TUSCOLA

Tuscola, April 24—Some road work is being done between Hammond and Tuscola, on the Ocean-to-Ocean highway. More work will be necessary before that road will be a joy to motorists.

The piece of road going from Atwood south is full of deep holes that were miniature lakes and rivers during the rainy. The ditch along the road from Atwood to Garrett has been deepened and there are some bad holes in this part.

But the dragging is going ahead and conditions are bettering every day.

POPE PIUS BIDS MUNDELEIN GOODBYE

Rome, April 24—Pope Pius today received Cardinal Mundelein of Chicago in a private farewell audience, holding him in cordial conversation for more than an hour. The Cardinal leaves tomorrow.

A Warning to Constipated People

"Every dose of ordinary laxative and physic usually leaves you more constipated than before," says an eminent physician. They act by irritating the intestines, causing them to eject through spasms and "explosions" and watery discharges. The reaction is a weakened condition, necessitating still more physics until the pernicious constipation habit is fastened on to you. But now, doctors are prescribing a remarkable new prescription which acts by toning up the muscles of the entire intestinal tract. It brings real relief to people chronically constipated—acts in a thorough manner, making harsh physics unnecessary. This prescription is called "Prunolin." Sold in 25c packages by Gardner Drug Co., I. N. Irwin Drug Co., Frankel Drug Co., Decatur Drug Co.

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Large sk. Gold Medal Flour	$1.80
24 lb. sack Big "8" Flour	95c
24 lb. sack Gold Medal Flour	95c
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24 lb. sk Daniel Webster Flour	$1.00
24 lb. sack Queen Quality Flour	90c
4 Sewed Broom	58c
1 lb. box Armour's Sliced Bacon	38c
6 cans Sliced Pineapple	$1.45
Oranges, per dozen	23c
2 large Fancy Grape Fruit	15c
10 bars P. & G. Soap for	45c
10 bars Maple City Soap	42c

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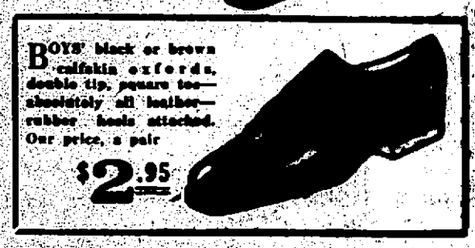

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NEW ROAD MACHINE REACHES TUSCOLA

Spreads, Tamps and Finishes Concrete Roadway.

Tuscola, April 24—A machine for spreading, tamping and finishing concrete roadway was unloaded here the first of the week for Lewis and Co., who have the contract for hard road work here. The machine is new and was shipped from the factory. It is rather bulky but does not appear to be an extremely heavy piece of equipment, and will do the work of several men.

KLANSAWYER FUNERAL.

The funeral for Allen Klansawyer was held from the home of H. A. Maris on Wilson street, at 11 o'clock Wednesday.

The service was conducted by Rev. A. L. Gaseley of the Methodist church. A quartet composed of O. B. Moorehead, C. J. Hoel, Cal. Rasor and Oscar Collins sang "Beautiful Isle." Mrs. Dewey Langley and Mrs. Jay Langley had charge of the flowers. Following the brief service the body was taken to Terre Haute for burial. Raymond Carpenter, W. Wilson, Montelle Bowles, Finis Hazlett, Dale Harder and Jay Langley acted as bearers in transferring the body from the house to the Illinois Central station.

DIES IN HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Clint Pearman who was taken to the local hospital a few days ago suffering from a nervous breakdown and other ailments, died at the hospital Wednesday evening about 5 o'clock. The deceased was a woman of middle age and leaves a husband and a large family of children, some of whom are small. She was the daughter of Abe Fleener of this place. The body was taken from the hospital to the Waddington undertaking rooms to be prepared for burial, but no particulars as to arrangements were obtainable Wednesday evening.

"DRUNK" A B. G. MAN.

The "drunk" who was arrested on the street here Tuesday afternoon, claimed Wednesday morning when taken before Esquire J. C. Cutler to be a C. & E. I. railroad laborer from Danville. At the time of his arrest the fellow was so drunk that he was unable to tell his name or appear in court. After being locked up in the city calaboose over night he was taken into court and given a fine and costs, which he was able to pay. It was stated that while the man had been in his drunken state and previous to being taken into custody by officers VanWinkle, he had fallen and cut a gash in his forehead, from which he had lost considerable blood. He was advised to "beat it" as soon as he was released.

Mrs. C. S. Skinner and daughter Ruth spent the last week-end at Kidell, where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. Enoch McKee, parents of Mrs. Skinner.

Dr. George H. Fuller left here Wednesday afternoon via the C. & E. I. and St. Louis for Joplin Mo.

Mr. and Mrs. John Warren of Arthur were Tuesday visitors in Tuscola.

F. AND S. BANQUET.

Tuscola Rotarians are now selling the tickets for the Father and Sons banquet in connection with Boys Week. The banquet will be held in the I. O. O. F. hall and is to be served by the ladies of the North Side Christian church Thursday evening, May 3. Following the banquet the address of the evening by Allen D. Albert, of Paris will be in the high school auditorium. There is quite a lot of good natured rivalry among the Rotary members in the sale of the tickets.

LOVINGTON SCHOOL RESUMES WORK

Lovington, April 24—School work was resumed at the grade school Wednesday morning. The school has been closed the last week on account of an epidemic of measles.

Mr. and Mrs. Halsworth of Marshall have returned to their home after a few days visit here with their daughter, Mrs. J. S. Strohm and family.

TO TEACH.

Miss Lela Cox has been employed by the Arthur board of education to have charge of the primary room in the Arthur grade school for the coming year. Miss Cox is completing her third year as teacher in the Mentzer school north of Fairbanks.

SERIOUSLY ILL.

Wilbert Davis is seriously ill at his home here.

Mrs. Austin Wood of Villa Grove is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Margaret Boggs and family.

L. T. Anderson and family are moving into their residence recently purchased from F. O. Gould.

A daughter, Charlotte Emma, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Gregory, April 19 at the Decatur and Macon County hospital.

Raymond McMullin, J. C. Hostetler and William White returned Monday to Normal, where they resumed their work at the Illinois State Normal University.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Maxwell and children and Mrs. J. M. Shepherd spent the week-end in Chicago.

Max Hoover and Frances Murphy returned Tuesday to Champaign to resume their work at the U. of I.

A. A. Brown and family spent Sunday in Decatur with Dr. H. S. Alsip and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bowman of Decatur visited Minnie McCravey and family here Sunday.

NEWS FROM THE SICK

Mrs. J. E. Duncan, 1113 North Monroe street, who underwent an operation Wednesday in the Decatur and Macon County hospital for the removal of her appendix, is getting along as well as could be expected.

HARD WINTER KILLS ORNAMENTAL FENCE

Charleston Courier: Many if not all the property owners who have been working hard for the past few years to maintain a hardy growth of ornamental hedge about their premises are sorely distressed over the condition of the hedge this spring. Since the leaves have been coming out many of the hedges have not responded to the warmth of the sun and remain black. It is thought that the roots are not killed, but the severe winter has killed all the branches. These have been removed, and a new growth from the roots will be tried out.

The rambler rose bushes also have suffered from the cold winter, and in some cases the whole bush has been killed. These have been pruned off and a new growth from the roots is expected to follow.

DREDGE BOAT IS NEAR MT. AUBURN

To Start Work Soon On Bridge.

Mt. Auburn, April 24.—The huge dredge boat which is to dredge the Sangamon river from the Niantic bridge to Roby, a distance o: sixteen miles, has covered a distance of five miles and has recently crossed the public road three miles north of Mt. Auburn leading to Illiopolis. The concrete abutments of the bridge to be built over the dredge stream at this place are already finished and work on the bridge will be commenced as soon as possible. Traffic to Illiopolis has to travel via Niantic hard road until the bridge is built.

Brick work was begun on the D. E. File building at the corner of Broad and Arch streets Wednesday and work is going along rapidly. It will have a corner entrance and large plate glass windows at the east and north sides.

Miss Dorothy Mulberry and brother Francis, who are attending the University of Illinois, spent the Easter vacation in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mulberry.

GEORGE E. MATTHES.

Funeral services for George E. Matthes who died in his home at Detroit, Mich., Friday, April 18, following an illness of pneumonia and rheumatism, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Christian church in Mt. Auburn, Rev. G. W. Foley, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial was made in the Mt. Auburn cemetery.

Easter services were held at the Mt. Auburn Christian and Methodist churches Sunday evening. Large crowds attended. The members of the athletic association of the Mt. Auburn community High school will present a home talent play entitled "The Jonah," at the Christian church Friday night, April 25.

The members of the Friendship club of the Methodist church received near $16 at the bakery sale which they conducted at Squires and Son's garage Saturday.

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A Sensational Sale of New Millinery

Here is a special Millinery sale, one that our patrons have been asking about and looking forward to, brought about by a very fortunate purchase of real, quality trimmed hats. If you have looked forward to finding your ideal of style and beauty gratified only in a most costly hat, you'll be more than surprised, and pleasantly too, when you see this feature showing of smart Spring Hats at such a remarkable price. Hats of every color, shape and trimming. The colors are Jade, Sand, Orchid, Purple, Tarrigan, Black variations.

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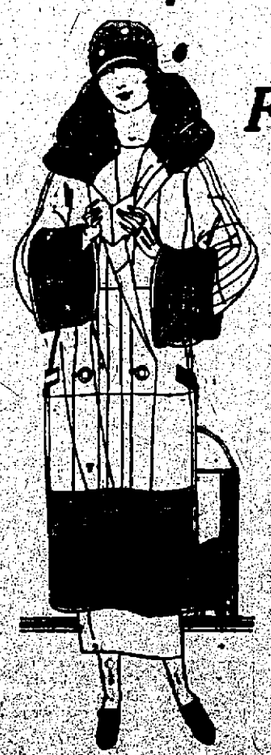

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75c Very Finest Voiles Now 59c
Exquisitely beautiful Voiles—highest quality, all the newest designs for finest summer dresses, all colors, regular price 75c a yard, Stewart's sale price this sale, a yard 59c

$1.00 Finest Dress Linens, Now 69c
Finest imported dress linens, closely woven, guaranteed shrunk from 36 inches to 38 inches, every shade worth to any dress fabric, linens for dresses, suits, coats, etc. Regular price $1.00, sale price, yard 69c

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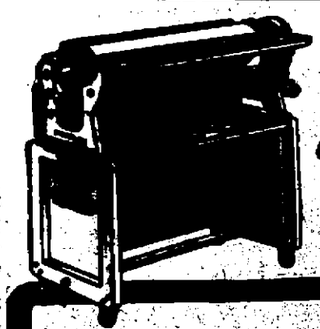

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For a Better Decatur

THE REVIEW'S PROGRAM.

Roads.
Parks and Play Grounds.
A Forest Preserve.
Railroad Problems.
Better School Facilities.

HAVE THE AVERAGE DRIVER.

There is a sharp curve in the hard road near Illiopolis, and it is mentioned the record shows fifty-four official accidents at that point in less than a year. Others are rumored, but not official; if these are counted the total is sixty-one.

Only a little while since an official of the road department got into difficulties at that curve, and his experience was sufficiently serious to get mention in the official count. It is said that as the curve comes at the end of a stretch of straight and gradeless road—the kind that invites speed—the average driver is unable to see there are ugly possibilities ahead.

By now road authorities have made up their minds that accidents will continue on that curve, so they are seeking a way to minimize the effects. A "ribbon" made of steel wire has been stretched at the point, and possibly this will absorb some of the shock.

It may be that no device will meet requirements at that spot—it is hard to imagine one that will. If everything else fails, state road authorities may be driven to the necessity of taking up the short stretch of road now there and rebuilding it with the curve eliminated. One rather feels this will be the final solution.

We can put it down that we shall always have with us in numbers the "average driver" who can't be made immune except by taking out the curve and throwing it on the scrap heap.

MORE COMPLICATED BY NOW.

People at Lincoln in this state called in a professional and certified accountant to tell them how they are getting along with their municipal street car line, that is financially.

He studied the figures and reported that in five years the line has lost the town $34,139. This loss is at the rate of almost $7,000 a year; and possibly some in Lincoln will look on this as a pretty stiff price to pay for the accommodation.

It was well to call in the auditor, for at least he was able to warn them as to what they are doing to themselves. Receipts from the line have been just about heavy enough to meet payrolls, and from this many got a notion the enterprise was paying its way.

But there is a good deal more than payroll to one of these transportation undertakings. There is the thing called overhead, including interest and depreciation. There is a way to ignore this for a time, but it can't be kept up; it is an item that is sure to get attention after a few years.

The problem for a city the size of Lincoln isn't a little one at this late day. Had they thought about it when railroads were first built in the town, the builders might have been induced to run the tracks right into the heart of the business section. Then it would not be necessary to have a street car line. But it is a little late now to think about this solution.

SOME LOOKED FOR IT.

It was only two years ago that the noisier of the uplifters told us that Pennsylvania was redeemed through Mr. Pinchot. He either had won or was fighting his way to the governorship of that big state; and for a while he did create considerable havoc among the formerly anointed.

And now, after this short little while, Mr. Pinchot, desiring to go as a delegate to the national convention of his party, loses the election to a comparatively unknown man by a margin of more than 300,000 votes. All this happens in face of the general understanding, that prevailed up to two weeks ago, that Pinchot would go to the convention as a matter of course and with the approval and consent of all Republicans in his state.

We wonder how and why such sudden and violent changes can be. However, there must be many who are not surprised. These are people who are supposed to have some acquaintance in inside influential circles in big Republican politics.

As long ago as two years, right at the time the glories of Pinchot were in full bloom, some of those insiders remarked that he isn't built right and may be expected to fall over himself.

And only a short while since Pinchot established relations with Couzens of Michigan, another inclined to be erratic in spots. The combination proved disastrous to Pinchot.

Maybe Henry Ford will say: "I could have told him so."

HE APPEARS TO MEAN IT.

Here is one of the reasons why President Coolidge has won more favor with members of his party than all the wild ones in the fold. Hear him:

"The success of the government does not lie in wringing all the revenue it can from the people, but in making their burden as light and fairly distributed as possible."

That is pretty old-fashioned doctrine, and yet it appears to be sound and to retain many good kicks and wallops.

It is true we have been traveling on another track, and often with orders to run wild and regardless. But it is by no means established that we like this kind of thing, even though we continue to practice it. We try to break away from it, or rather each of us tries to make everybody else get some sense and hold off.

We don't make this much of a success; while all of us are calling for relief, the cost of government keeps right on mounting. Yet we have a clear and sharp understanding that this will never do; and the thing that worries us is how to get all the other fellows to face about and head the other way.

Well, President Coolidge is one who is trying to lead the procession in the other direction. He holds that the tax burdens of government should be lighter; and he appears to be at least one man in the country who would make them lighter by reducing expenditures.

INVESTIGATE THE TRADITION.

A fire this week in the west end of town resulted in considerable loss. The family was not at home, so the easy conclusion is that it was started from "defective wiring."

This is a cause of fires that has been announced hundreds of times; it has been repeated so often that it gets acceptance from force of old habit. And yet those who should know most about the workings of electricity are more than doubtful about the whole story and tradition.

One of these remarked: "I doubt if there is an electrician in Decatur who can go into a residence in the town and get a fire from defective wiring, even when that is the thing he is trying to do."

This is something that might be called to the attention of members of the fire department. They might be put to starting little fires from defective wiring under each voltage as goes into residences. If they learn they can't do it, they will look around and try to find something else to which to charge fires.

The firemen are the people who report causes of conflagrations; if they get on the wrong track, the rest of us are pretty sure to be off in our bearings.

OUR BUSTED BEARINGS.

Of course it is observed that some of the musically inclined people are wailing away at Paderewski, the pianist, because in a pinch he considered his ailing poodle to be of more consequence than thousands of good people who were waiting to hear him and his divine art in recital.

The complainants are inclined to be severe as well as indignant. They say he should not do such things, some of them going to the length of intimating this is what makes anarchists.

We didn't know it was as bad as all this indicates, but of course we are not sure it isn't well for the police to keep an eye on this gifted Pole. These matters are just a little beyond most of us; and of course we don't want to take mysterious chances on breaking down the civilization that now blesses us, the "chosen people."

But we are a little puzzled. Are great and classical music and divine harmony of more consequence than a sick poodle? We think it is, having been raised in the admonition that we should think so.

But here is this man Paderewski, a greatest authority in music and the possessor of an ailing poodle. When the crisis came he threw his support to the poodle.

And who are we that should say he is all wrong in this?

Gosh, but they have brought great distress upon us.

Now for a little Spring House Cleaning

NOT TRUE OF MANY OF THEM.

Only a little while since a writer of parts told about the degeneration of the "country town hotel."

He assumed this is something recognized by all; and the only thing left him was to offer an explanation.

Well, some of us are by no means sure it has degenerated generally. In other days there were good country town hotels, also many poor ones. We are sure the latter haven't degenerated.

Chauncey Depew at ninety is another who says he isn't old enough to play golf, but he hopes to stick around and reach that ripeness.

It just occurs to us that this time we haven't been hearing much about Frank Torrence's tulips, and we are wondering who threw that wrench in the machine.

The speeding rate continues to stand at $18.40, the only thing we know that is more stable than government bond quotations.

If you will be kind enough to give harmony silk to some of the political brethren in this state, they will show you how to make a sow's ear of it.

Insurance companies owe us $30,000,000 in back taxes. Like the foreign war debt, it might be worth more if it was a great deal smaller.

Somebody offers the suggestion that laziness can be cured by diet; and once more it is up to the cooks to save the world.

They are talking of Frank Lowden for temporary chairman, but this gentleman has heard the siren's voice before now.

Fifty years ago when the police were in their infancy, they had whistles; and we are wondering if they can play them as well now as then.

Out of the first 100,000 votes in New Jersey Hiram got 10,000, and we think there ought to be a recount.

Roe shad is in town at forty cents a pound, and those raised on it say it is like giving it away.

We are sorry to observe that Lent is by no means over for Sister Mary's fat man.

LITTLE JOE

MANY TIMES THE PRODIGAL SON FAILS TO COME HOME TILL THE FATTED CALF IS OLD AND TOUGH

Little Benny's Notebook

I was going on a errand for ma this attirnoon and wishing I was doing something more exciting, and I came to Sam Cross leening agenst a telegraff pole with his hands in his pockits looking mizzerable, me saying, Hello Sam, and him not saying enything and me saying, Come on erround to the store with us, will you, Sam?

No, Sam sed.

Aw come on, I sed. Im going to get 3 pounds of apples, and they give you a awful lot for 3 pounds and I bet we can each eat about 3 and I bet there will still be 3 pounds left, allmost, I sed.

No, Sam sed. Your mother mite find it out and tell my mother and then I wont get a bike for my berthday. If I do a single thing I awtent to do for a hole week I wont get the bike, he sed.

G, wen did the week start? I sed.

Today, Sam sed. But I celebrated yestidday, you bet your life all rite. Yestidday I sassed the cook and sassed my ant and wouldent do a thing enybody asked me without argewing about a hour ferst, and I changed the looks of my fathers best saw by trying to see if it would saw iron, and I dicent do my homewerk, and G wizz, all sorts of things, he sed.

Well come on erround with me, enyways and we wont take eny apples, I sed.

No, I dont feel like it. I dont feel like doing enything, Sam sed. Jest the very thawt of me having to be good for a hole week is fearse, he sed.

And he kepp on leening agenst the telegraff pole looking mizzerable and I went to the store alone, ony eating 2 apples on the way home on account of 3 pounds not looking like so meny as wat I thawt they would and also on account of me feeling kind of sad about Sam Cross.

LEE PAPE.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY IN DECATUR

APRIL 24, 1924.

Tulips were in bloom in Fairview park.

Dr. George Emory Fellows was removed from the presidency of Millikin university at a special meeting of the board of managers.

The high school graduating class, coached by Mrs. C. A. Gillc, very successfully staged Grimm's fairy tale, "Snow White."

Macon county Odd Fellows committee on annual picnic, decided to not have the annual picnic this summer because of a lack of interest.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

There were fifteen miles of finished grade for the interurban between Decatur and Riverton.

Will T. Downing and son Poyntelle left for New Orleans, La.

Decatur millers were offering 90 cents for wheat and 42 cents for white corn.

The board of local improvements recommended to the council that an ordinance be passed for asphalting East Main street and North Park street from Water to Franklin streets.

Dr. A. Stadler was the first subscriber for a copy of the 1904 issue of the Decatur and Macon county directory.

Arthur C. Race left for Kansas for the summer.

Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest.
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I'M GLAD TO MEET YOU.

"I'm glad to meet you!" Thus we say,
And this from strangers' lips we hear
When introduced along the way—
A phrase that's very old and dear.
We catch the name our friends repeat,
Two hands in newborn friendship meet,
With this the other each will greet:
"I'm glad to meet you!"

"I'm glad to meet you! Day by day
As strangers we shall pass no more;
From this beginning who can say
Just what the future has in store?
New bonds of friendship may be tied,
Perhaps our paths may soon divide,
But now we utter, side by side,
"I'm glad to meet you!"

Can this be but an empty phrase,
A sentence, formal and polite,
A relic of Victorian days
That is forgotten over night?
I often think it is, and yet,
Sometimes, somewhere, it was you met
And told the friend you can't forget:
"I'm glad to meet you!"

"I'm glad to meet you," here's my hand,
But time must prove the worth of friends,
And you and I well understand
How soon a mere acquaintance ends.
So when the years have flown away,
God grant you may recall today,
Run through my book of life, and say:
"I'm glad I met you!"

About Town

"I was arrested the very first day I was ever in Decatur," remarked S. A. Greeley, of Pearse, Greeley & Hansen, consulting engineers, as he sat in the new office of the firm in the Tower building in Michigan avenue, Chicago, one day last week talking to a Review man, who had made a remark about the number of pictures of Decatur which were hung on the walls—one of the dam and several views of the lake and others.

"I went down there to study the sewage problem with those interested in the then serious question of sewage disposal, which had been made acute by the state's order to the city to cease polluting the river, and we were inspecting the route of the old sewer which runs along the cemetery south of the business section.

"A rule had just been made against trespassers climbing the fence into the cemetery, of which, of course, I knew nothing, and in studying the topography of the ground I climbed through the hedge.

"I was promptly put under arrest and it took the arguments of the Decatur men with me to convince the cemetery custodians that I should not be haled before the court."

So used was one five year old to seeing people gain admittance to places by ticket, that the following incident occurred on a recent election day. Jack accompanied his mother, for the first time, when she went to the polls to vote and on the way she was handed a candidate's card which she slipped into her pocket. She gave it to Jack on the way home. That evening the boy went with his father to vote and when he reached home he said, "Mother, daddy didn't get a ticket, but they let him in to vote anyway." The father said that on the way down the boy had said, "There's one on the sidewalk you could pick up and get in on if you want to."

PLAYING the part of the Good Samaritan sometimes has some unpleasant results. That is why a sign was put up Wednesday in front of a Decatur residence absolutely forbidding agents of any kind to come on the premises.

Tuesday, an agent for some branch office in Decatur managed to get hold of something with an unusual kick in it. By the time he reached the house spoken of above he was in bad shape and a sick man. Fortunately, he had gone to the home of a kind-hearted woman. He asked if he could come in and sit down and if she would call up his boss and tell the latter to come after the agent. All of this she did, and soon the boss came and got the man.

About an hour later here came a whole carload of police officers to the house with a search warrant and they searched it through for liquor. Of course nothing of this nature was found. It was undestood the warrant was gotten out at the request of the daughter of the man who became ill. The people of the house do not hold anything against the police department for what was done because they realize there was nothing else to be done when such a warrant was issued, but they do feel rather peeved at the way things turned out.

THREE GIRLS DROWN IN CHICAGO PARK

Chicago, April 24—Three little girls were drowned Wednesday night in a lagoon in McKinley park when two of them, sisters, went to the aid of their step-sister who had waded in beyond her depth.

"TIZ" FOR TIRED, PUFFED-UP FEET

The minute you put your feet in a "Tiz" bath you feel pain being drawn out and comfort just soaking in. How good your tired, swollen, burning feet feel. "Tiz" instantly draws out the poisonous exudations that puff up your feet and cause sore, inflamed sweaty feet.

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The Story Of Decatur

By E. T. Coleman

CHAPTER 144.

A FAMOUS THEATER MANAGER.

Frank W. Haines, for Twenty-Seven Years Purveyor of Amusements to Decatur, Did Useful Work, Will Be Remembered.

At the time of his retirement as manager of the Powers Grand Opera House, Frank W. Haines was the oldest and best known theater manager in the west. He was chief amusement purveyor for the people of Decatur for twenty-seven years in which capacity he performed a public service of real value.

Perhaps we do not often think of the theater manager as a public servant but who shall say that it is not more important to the people of any given city what amusements are served to them than who is governor of their state?

Within certain limits the manager of a theater is absolute dictator of the kind and quality of entertainments that are given on his stage. Frank Haines sought persistently to bring the best to Decatur.

This city was regarded for years by theatrical people as the best show town in the state. They liked to come here because if they had a show worth while they were sure of a large and appreciative audience.

Few people in the theatrical business had as wide aff acquaintance with theatrical people as Mr. Haines. It began by reading their names on the three sheet and foursheet posters which he was mounting on the bill boards. From this paste-and-brush knowledge it grew into a personal acquaintance with all of the leading theatrical people of the country. In many cases this acquaintance ripened into intimacy and warm friendship. His knowledge of plays and players to a large extent was his capital.

Not only should a theater manager know theatrical people and plays but he must know his own audiences. Mr. Haines knew his people. In short he knew his business as few people know their trade or profession or vocation.

BEGAN IN MACON HALL.

Mr. Haines began his theatrical career in the old Macon Hall on Merchant street, a third floor room which was the only hall in the city equipped with a stage and scenery.

Ben Dodson was part owner and manager of the hall. Frank Haines was employed as bill poster.

Some of the best actors of the time trod the boards of that old Macon Hall stage. A great contest took place between McKean Buchanan and Edwin Forrest on that stage. They both played "Richelieu" and "Jack Cade" the same week. Buchanan won the honors in the first named play but Forrest was given a wild demonstration in his performance of Jack Cade and his popularity was firmly established in this city.

FIRST REAL THEATER.

Smith's Opera House was Decatur's first real theater. It opened in 1869 with Hiram Brown, E. O. Smith's father-in-law, as manager and Frank Haines as assistant manager.

The house was opened by Katie Putman with a week's engagement. The profits of that engagement were $1,300. Mr. Brown soon retired as manager and was succeeded by Dan W. Brenneman, who continued in charge for about a year. He was succeeded by J. Q. A. Odor. Mr. Haines assumed the management in 1873. He continued during the life of this house as a theater.

At the opening of the new Powers Grand Opera House Mr. Haines took charge as manager and continued until the first fire. He was just winding up his affairs to retire when this occurred.

BRILLIANT ARRAY.

Lillian Russell made her only appearance in Decatur in "Legitimate" at Smith's opera house in "Billee Taylor." Others who played there were John McCullough Lawrence Barrett, Lotta, Emma Abbott and Mrs. Langtry. Henry Ward Beecher, Theodore Tilto and many other noted men lectured from this stage.

On Aug. 29, 1890, Edwin Booth and Helen Modjeska played Hamlet in this theater. Mr. Haines felt that this was the greatest triumph of his life. People flocked from neighboring towns and cities to attend this performance. The box office receipts were $2,540. But at this the house lost money, as the company got 90 percent. And the business of the theater was ruined for several weeks afterward.

This entertainment was characteristic of Mr. Haines. To get the best for Decatur he would split his percent with theatrical companies and sometimes give it all away. He cajoled and planned and schemed and usually got them in one way or another.

UGGED BUILDING OF POWERS.

Mr. Haines was instrumental in the building of that beautiful play house known as the Grand Opera House. It was the most beautiful theater that Decatur ever had and as beautiful as any city ever had.

In this commodious and perfectly appointed theater his management had broader scope. Practically all the theatrical stars and all of the good road companies of the time appeared there. The best orchestras and soloists of the time were heard there.

DIVERSITY OF TALENT.

But no theater can present the best all the time. A wide range of talent must necessarily appear at a one-night theater. There is a wide range of theatrical taste to satisfy. Nothing exhibited Mr. Haines' ability as a manager better than his handling of and the quality of plays that he booked. He could not publicly advertise a show as poor or mediocre but he never obtained money under false pretenses. He had a tremendously wide acquaintance and he never gave the wrong information.

SKILLED ADVERTISING.

"Frank, I am thinking of taking my wife and daughters to the show tomorrow night," some acquaintance would say.

"Wait till next week. I have something good coming," Mr. Haines would reply.

This kind of grape-vine publicity would spread in some way. If there was a particularly good new thing coming there were about a dozen persons Mr. Haines would talk to about it and the town would know.

Every editor knew him and welcomed him. He had a fund of information, of intimate personal details of stage people, which he picked up on his yearly visits to Broadway.

HIS LIFE.

Frank W. Haines was born in St. Louis in 1851. His parents were both Virginians. He came to Decatur when a boy, after the death of his father, and very early the support of the family devolved on him. They lived in the east end of the city. He worked in various factories, as Boyd & Haskell's woolen mill, Barber & Hawley's machine shop, the Burroughs Foundry and others. He attended school when he could at the old Sangamon Street school. He did not become a bill poster because of the lure of the theater but because it was a job and he needed that job. He made a success of that job and went to the top. He was also leader of the Goodman band. He did a useful work and earned a modest reward.

Mr. Haines was married Sept. 1873, to Miss Mollie Jennings, daughter of Isaac D. Jennings, a former sheriff of Macon county. The wife and two children survive. His death occurred Sept. 20, 1900.

(To Be Continued)

FRANK W. HAINES.
Theater Manager Leader of Goodman Band.

A. P. RE-ELECTS FRANK B. NOYES

New York, April 23—Frank B. Noyes of the Washington Star today was re-elected president of Associated Press by the newly-organized board of directors.

E. H. Butler of the Buffalo News was elected first vice president and C. P. J. Mooney of the Memphis Commercial-Appeal second vice president.

The counseller, Melville E. Stone, was re-elected secretary, and the general manager, Frederick Roy Martin, was re-elected assistant secretary. J. R. Youatt was re-elected treasurer.

S. S. KRESGE GETS MARRIAGE LICENSE

New York, April 24—A search of records in the marriage license bureau Wednesday showed that S. S. Kresge, of Detroit, wealthy owner of chain stores, and Miss Doris Mercer of this city, whose marriage has been rumored, obtained a license here April 16. Mr. Kresge gave his age as fifty-six, and his occupation as a merchant. Miss Mercer's age was given as thirty-one.

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HIS BROTHER'S WIFE

by RUDY AYRES
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BEGIN HERE TODAY.

Dolly, a governess, marries Nigel Bretherton for his money. The marriage proves an unhappy one. When war is declared, Nigel is glad to enlist. He leaves Dolly in the care of Mary Furnival. Mary comes to live in Dolly's flat.

When word comes that Nigel has been killed, Dolly married an old suitor named Robert Durham and they sail for America. Nigel's older brother, David, calls to see Nigel's widow. He mistakes Mary for Dolly.

Mary is ashamed to tell of Dolly's marriage. An old friend named Fisher shows David a picture of Nigel's wife and David sees that it is not a picture of the girl he asked for Nigel's widow. A letter comes to Mary from Dolly, written en route to America.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY.

"Write to me if you can; I will send you an address as soon as we land.

"We have had glorious weather so far, and I haven't been ill at all. I am so glad, as a seasick bride must be too awful, mustn't it? Robert is quite well off, you know, and gives me heaps of money. It is such a change after having one's income doled out by a stingy brother-in-law. I wonder if the saintly David has turned up at the flat yet, and what he said when you told him?

"Mary, mind you tell me everything that happens, and what you are going to do. I said in my letter I left for you that you might sell the things and keep the money, and I still hope that you will. You were very kind to me, and I don't like to think I have treated you badly."

"Mary, you ought to have married Nigel instead of me. You would have adored him, I know. Robert sends his love to you, and hopes to meet you some day. Perhaps you might come out here to stay with us for a little while. Would you like that?

"We are going to live in an hotel to start with; houses are so frightfully dear, and anyway, I hate housekeeping and having to look after servants!

"What a lot of things have happened in these last few months! I am glad to say that on the boat we don't hear much about the awful war; people seem to be trying to forget it. There are some Americans who sit next to us at table. They have taken a great fancy to me. Robert gets quite jealous, poor darling."

Mary threw the letter down with a little shudder. She could not believe that it was indeed Dolly who had written it— Dolly, whom Nigel had loved so much. How cruel life was, how horribly cruel and unfair!

She could not touch her breakfast. She wandered restlessly about the little flat, unable to settle to anything.

The door of Nigel's room had been kept locked since he went away. She deliberately turned the key now, and entered.

It still smelt faintly of smoke. It was still littered with his possessions. There was a worn-out pipe on the shelf, and a jar half filled with tobacco; shabby slippers were kicked carelessly beneath a chair.

Mary sat down on the sofa where she had so often seen him lolling to read and smoke, and looked round the room with mournful eyes. So full of his presence the room was still, and yet— he would never come back any more. She would never hear his laugh, or his cheery whistle. He was dead, wiped out, and forgotten.

She was so lost in her own sad thoughts that she never heard the door-bell ring or a step on the landing outside—never saw a man, who stood on the threshold hesitating for a moment as if in doubt whether to enter, until he spoke.

"May I come in?"

She started up with a little smothered cry. David Bretherton stood there. She went to meet him agitatedly.

"I am so sorry—I did not hear you—I was dreaming—"

He came into the room, and stood looking round him.

"This was Nigel's room?"

"Yes."

His grave eyes swept her face, and a sudden kindliness filled them.

"You must not stay on in this flat," he said. "It is killing work living alone with memories."

She looked at him, trying to smile.

"I am only staying till things can be arranged. I don't want to live here; I couldn't afford to, even if I did."

A curious expression flashed across his face. Was this her way of leading up to the thing he had been expecting? he wondered, and was ashamed of the thought even as it was born.

She looked so unlike an adventuress. It was impossible, when one saw the pallor and grief of her face, to believe that she was exploiting a dead man's memory for her own gain.

CHAPTER XIV.

David's Offer.

HE walked over to the window, and stood with his back turned to her. Standing so, he asked a question.

"In the letter you gave me yesterday—my brother's letter—he speaks of a friend of his, a Miss Furnival."

No answer. Mary clasped her hands. She looked at his averted face with wondering eyes. Almost it was on the tip of her tongue to say:

"I am Mary Furnival. You knew that, didn't you? Surely you knew that?"

He went on speaking before the words were formed.

"Nigel seems to have thought a great deal of her. He speaks of her as his best friend. I should like to meet her, to thank her for what she did for him, and—and his wife."

And now he turned, looked at her across the room steadily.

For a moment Mary could not speak. In that lightning pause her mind seemed to have covered miles and miles of thought. Her agitation fell from her. She felt as if she were looking down on a written suggestion planned by a masterly hand down to its minutest detail.

Here was a way to save a dead man's memory, and shield his name. Unconsciously David Bretherton had shown her how. He asked for Mary Furnival! What easier than to say that she had married, and was even now on her way to America, whilst she—she—

She allowed herself to travel no further down that line of thought. She began to speak slowly and collectedly, meeting his eyes fairly and squarely.

"She is married. Mary Furnival was married just a week ago. She is on her way to America now with her husband.

Bretherton was standing with his back to the light, and she could not see the flickering amazement of his eyes. When he spoke his voice was quiet and very courteous.

"Is that so? I am sorry. I should have liked to thank her. Perhaps when you write you will do so for me?"

She did not answer. Her heart was beating fast. All at once she was afraid of what she had said and done.

He went on:

"I came here this morning because I wanted to see you before I wanted to ask if you would care to go home —to the Red Grange. I come down there, to live down there."

Mary stared at him. "I! To live there!"

For a moment she forgot that she had allowed him to think that she

AND NOW HE TURNED AND LOOKED AT HER STEADILY.

was Dolly; for the moment she could only remember the beautiful old house as she had seen it that once with Nigel— the ivy-covered walls, the sloping lawns. A faint color tinged her pallor. Her eyes flashed.

"Oh, I should love it—love it!" she breathed, then stopped.

What right had she there? Why was he making her this offer?

David continued evenly.

"If Nigel had lived, it would eventually have been your home. I am sure it would please him to know that you are there, even though he is gone."

The color had died from Mary's face. She was white enough now. She stammered as she tried to speak.

"You mean that I —because I—because he—"

She could not go on.

He answered her simply and unfalteringly.

"I mean that, because you loved him, it will give me great happiness if you will come."

CHAPTER XV.

David's Offer.

"BECAUSE I loved him!" Mary echoed David Bretherton's words faintly. For a moment she looked past him, away into a distance that was landmarked by four years of faithful friendship, ending in a lonely grave.

"Don't answer me at once," David went on. "Think it over. You are lonely, and there is plenty of room down at the Red Grange. My aunt lives with me— possibly you know that— and I think you would like her. I hope you will agree to do this. I want to show in some small way my appreciation of your kindness to Nigel, and I think to take you there—to his home—"

He stopped, as if waiting for her to speak.

There was a curious look of baffled interest in his eyes. This woman was a conundrum to him. Apparently she had no wish of trying to get money out of him, and yet what was it that kept her from frankly avowing that she was not his brother's wife?

All his life women had been of small interest to David, but this one was somewhat different.

He moved to the door, pausing for a moment to look back at her and the little room, still so full of his brother's memory.

"Write to me when you have made up your mind," he said. "You know my address. I am going down to the Red Grange this afternoon."

Mary made a little, involuntary movement. Words trembled on the tip of her tongue—words which would once and for all have made matters clear between them, words that would once and for all have settled the question as to whether she should accept his offer or not.

She had only to say: "You are mistaken; I am not Nigel's wife. I am Mary Furnival!" and her chance of going back to the Red Grange would be gone for ever.

She thought of its beauties with a very real heartache.

(Continued in Our Next Issue)

Horse Dragged 25 Feet Under Auto; Rider Badly Hurt

Charleston, April 23—Miss Alla Dunifer is in a local hospital recovering from injuries received when a horse she was riding was struck and knocked down by a Ford sedan on the street. Her knee was cut, there was a gash in the calf of her leg and she was internally injured in the side.

When the car was stopped twenty-five feet from the immediate scene of the collision, Miss Dunifer's hat was found underneath the car. Miss Dunifer had been thrown against the windshield.

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Friday and Saturday

Art Spreads, $12.50 —$17.50 Priscilla Art Bed Spreads of soft open silk. They come in blue, gold and rose colors. Broad lustrous stripes and scalloped edge all around. Each $12.50

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LEGAL FIGHT LOOMS OVER ARCOLA WILL

May Try to Get Estate Left to Orphans.

Arcola, April 24—There may be a legal battle over the settlement of the estate of Miss Mary Davis, who dropped dead in her home here a few weeks ago. At the time of her death Miss Davis owned two residence properties and some vacant lots in Arcola. She also is said to have possessed some money and government bonds.

Some months ago Miss Davis decided to leave her property to an orphan asylum and during the latter part of last year she made a will to the effect.

She had two brothers, Arthur and William Davis, residents of Champaign, and Arthur Davis is credited with the statement that he will engage attorneys and attempt to break the will.

L. AND A. CLUB ELECTS.

A meeting of the Literature and Art division of the Arcola Woman's Club was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Marian C. McKinney. Mrs. W. H. Haugh was elected president at the business session of the meeting. The following program was given:

"Robert Louis Stevenson"—Miss Ora Edgar.

"Life in Samoa"—Mrs. P. M. Goodwyn.

"The Celestial Surgeon"—Mrs. A. C. Adams.

Music—Eunice Collins, Ida Smith.

Members of the Arcola Methodist Episcopal church are raising a fund to be expended in decorating the church interior. They expect to spend something over $1,000 on the decorations and have a large part of the fund already on hand.

News has been received here of the death April 12 of Miss Ethel Howell, who for a few years was a teacher in the Arcola high school. Miss Howell passed away at the home of her mother in Portland, Ore., after five months of suffering from cancer of the throat. Funeral services and burial were held in that city.

Miss Howell's former home was at Paris, but a few years ago her mother, Mrs. Martha Strimple, moved to Portland. Miss Howell remained in this part of the country but gave up teaching and took a position traveling for a school supply house at Chicago. Besides her mother she has a brother, Robert Howell, and a half-sister, Miss Cressie Strimple, surviving her.

BOY SCOUTS DISBAND.

Arcola Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts, held a meeting Tuesday evening and disbanded. The troop was organized here something over a year ago, but for some reason the boys could not be induced to take much interest in Scouting and it was decided to disband.

The meeting held Tuesday evening was a reception at which the scouts entertained a party of girl friends. The affair was held in the club rooms of the American Legion. There were games and dancing and a banquet was served.

SMALL BLAZE.

The fire company was called to the residence of George Thornton on Jaybird avenue about 2 o'clock Tuesday evening. A defective flue set fire to the house between the walls of two rooms and was gaining great headway but was extinguished with no greater damage than the scorched walls and a hole in the roof.

The case of James Hoback who has brought a suit to force the city of Arcola to open an alley through the property of Dale Trout, known as Trout's block, was to have been heard in the Douglas county circuit court Tuesday, but was postponed because of the fact that E. F. Meister, of Tuscola, attorney employed by Mr. Hoback, has been confined to his home by illness for the last two or three weeks and was unable to be in court to represent his client.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Munson, who left this city a few weeks ago, intending to go to Los Angeles, Cal., stopped en route for a visit with friends in Denver, Colo., and there changed their plans. They are now headed for Portland, Ore., and a letter from them was received Tuesday which stated that they had reached Rock Springs, Wy. The letter was dated Saturday.

Miss Mae Hood, who is a teacher employed in the schools at Mooseheart, has been visiting Arcola relatives and friends this week. Mrs. Theo. Howard, of Tuscola, and her daughter, Lola, also a teacher at Mooseheart, have been visitors here this week.

SURPRISED.

Mrs. Ray Honn was given a surprise birthday reception Sunday. Returning from Sunday school at the Walnut Grove church she found her housed filled with relatives and friends who came to spend the day with her. The affair was planned by Mrs. A. A. Honn, Mrs. J. M. Howard and Mrs. James Jackson, who had prepared an elaborate dinner which was served to more than forty guests.

John L. Hall and daughter, Miss Ross, have returned from a visit with relatives and friends at St. Louis.

J. W. Burt, a resident of the vicinity of Hindsboro, has been seriously ill for the last three months and his condition has now reached a critical state. If he recovers sufficiently he will be moved to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Roy Black, of this city, and cared for there. Mrs. H. D. Barnes, of St. Louis, another daughter, has been visiting him this week.

Roy Black, A. T. Thompson, John Eisele, Earl Moore, H. W. Pullen, Charles Gee, W. J. Pullen, Owen Clark, Elmer Cloufelter and Ardelle Stewart made up a party of Arcolans who motored to Hindsboro Tuesday night and attended a district meeting of Odd Fellows, held in the lodge rooms there. The Hindsboro lodgemen provided good entertainment. After the business meeting there was work in the second degree and refreshments were served.

FORMER RESIDENT OF BEMENT DEAD

Bement, April 24—Word has been received by W. G. Cloyd of the death of Mrs. J. T. Millikin, a former resident, April 6, at her home in Riverside, Cal. Mrs. Millikin had been ill many months. On Dec. 5, 1872, Eleanor A. Webster of southeast of Bement was united in marriage to John T. Milligan of this place and lived here where Mr. Millikin was an agent in the employ of the Wabash, afterward going to Illiopolis, where they remained until they went to Riverside, Cal., after many years.

They were members of the Presbyterian church here, and in Riverside were affiliated with Calvary Presbyterian church. Mrs. Millikin was actively engaged in church work as long as her health permitted. Their fiftieth anniversary was celebrated in the church, the four adult Bible classes uniting to do them honor.

Mrs. Millikin was a sister of Judge F. M. Shonkwiler of Monticello. She visited in Bement about ten years ago.

The Y. L. S. society of St. Michael's Catholic church made $36.40 at their Easter bakery sale, Saturday afternoon.

W. M. Camp, who has been ill, is improving in health. His daughter, Mrs. W. N. Vance, has returned to her home in Chicago Heights.

Dr. V. T. Turley returned Tuesday from Kokomo, Ind., where he went Sunday to take his mother who had been visiting here, home.

BOARD ORGANIZES.

The board of education of district 108 met last week and organized for the year.

President Roy Veech appointed the following committees:

Finance—Dyarman, Siders, Wright.

Building and purchasing—Siders, Wright, Dyarman, Bowyer.

Athletic grounds—McPherson, Bowyer, Shaw.

Teachers — Shaw, Siders, McPherson.

Text books and course of study—Superintendent of Schools, Shaw, McPherson.

R. R. Siders is secretary. No teachers have been employed.

OREANA.

Mrs. Charles Stevens and little daughter returned to their home in Decatur Tuesday after spending some time with the former's mother, Mrs. McKirihan.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Shawl of Urbana spent Saturday and Sunday with J. G. Kirby and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Maxwell spent Sunday with William Albert and family near Osbornville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Long, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Rhodes, Miss Georgia Peck all of Decatur, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Lichtenberger.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Sutton of Chicago visited from Friday evening until Tuesday with the latter's parents Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Mounce. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Mounce who will remain for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibson and sons of Blue Mound were Sunday guests of V. M. Hobbs and family.

M. C. Cooper spent Sunday in Indianapolis with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Moothart entertained the following guests at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flues and sons Leo, Donald and Eugene of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Oldewelter and baby, Mrs. McKinley.

Mrs. Elizabeth Turpin entertained the following relatives at dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Gould, W. C. Turpin of Decatur, Miss Elizabeth Turpin of Champaign, O. D. Phillips and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hirsch, Mr. and Mrs. William Hirsch and baby of Decatur spent Sunday with C. J. Hirsch and family.

SOVIET TO SHOOT 6 FINNISH SPIES

Leningrad, April 24—(AP)—Six Finns were condemned by a soviet war tribunal here Wednesday to death by shooting for alleged espionage.

JONES HEADS PIATT CO. SUPERVISORS

Names Committees in Session New Board.

Monticello, April 24—The Board of Supervisors met Tuesday afternoon in the Supervisors room at the court house. Roy Jones of Monticello was named chairman. The following committees were named:

County Farm—Geo. R. Hursh, W. S. Armsworth, George C. Haines, Jr.

County Claims—A. L. Hawver, S. M. Riggs, Eugene Neff.

Pauper Claims—S. M. Riggs, Geo. C. Haines, Jr., W. S. Armsworth.

County Line Bridge—C. O. Gillespie, A. L. Hawver, S. M. Riggs.

Tuberculosis—W. S. Armstrong, George R. Hursh, Eugene Neff.

Hard Roads—Eugene Neff, C. O. Gillespie, Eugene Neff, Geo. C. Haines, Jr., S. M. Riggs, W. S. Armsworth.

Special Hard Roads—Roy H. Jones, Geo. R. Hursh, A. L. Hawver, C. O. Gillespie, Eugene Neff, Geo. C. Haines Jr., S. M. Riggs, W. S. Armsworth.

Buildings and Grounds—Geo. C. Haines Jr., Geo. R. Harsh, C. O. Gillespie.

Special Building and Grounds—Roy H. Jones, Geo. R. Hursh, A. L. Hawver, Geo. C. Haines Jr., C. O. Gillespie, S. M. Riggs, Eugene Neff, W. S. Armsworth.

HAD A STILL.

Virgil Cade, who was tried in the County Court Monday, was found guilty of illegal possession of a still. Sentence has not yet been passed.

T. G. Gillespie pleaded guilty to having intoxicating liquor in his possession and was fined $100 and costs making a total of $122.60.

Joseph Dick pleaded guilty to selling intoxicating liquor and was sentenced to the State farm at Vandalia for six months.

HARDY AT LUNCHEON.

The Community Club Juncheon was held Wednesday noon in the Presbyterian church parlors. About sixty members were present. W. F. Hardy of the Decatur Herald was the speaker.

The Rotary Club held its weekly dinner Tuesday at the Brady House.

A marriage license was issued here April 22 to William Reed Lawson, age 24 and Miss Opal Olinger age 18 both of Bement.

Mrs. J. C. Tippett is confined to her home by illness.

J. C. Haines of Seymour was a visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. Gilman and Mr. and Mrs. Chambers and children of Taylorville are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Spurling.

Miss Kathryn Priestly has accepted a position as over-seer of the Mailing department at the Syrup Pepsin factory. She will begin her duties next Monday.

Mrs. Mary Jelly of Seymour moved Wednesday into the Charles Schmidt property, which she recently purchased on East High street. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt moved into their property on the corner of East High and Monticello streets.

Charles Devaux and H. J. Evans were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

LAST P.-T. A. MEETING.

The last meeting of the Parent-Teachers association for this year will be held next Monday night April 28 at the Lincoln School building at 7:30 o'clock. The following program will be rendered.

Community Singing—Led by Miss Clara Benfrew.

Report of delegate to State P.-T. A. Meeting—Mrs. Adelia Plankenhorn.

Resume of years work—G. W. Sutton, E. S. Jones.

Report of nominating committee.

Community Singing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Swearinger of Danville spent Sunday and Monday here with relatives. The latters mother Mrs. Melvina Hanelise returned home with them Monday and will spend a few days with them and other relatives.

NEWS OF THE DAY FROM MOWEAQUA

Moweaqua, April 24—Mrs. Margaret Snyder of Gibson City visited Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Snyder Sunday to Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Y. Shamel of Gibson City will leave April 30 for New York where they will visit their son Dixon. On May 5 the Shamels will sail on the "Leviathan" for two months in Europe. Their son Clarence is in Paris, doing journalistic work for the Chicago Tribune.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Callison and children spent the week end in Ramsey, with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kohli have moved into the Hipes house, recently vacated by the Cheathams.

Mrs. Charles Evans of Decatur spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Pearson of Urbana spent Easter with Ed McBride and daughter.

K. R. Snyder has returned from a winter in Captive Island, Florida, with Prof. Clarence Snyder and family.

The Music Club will meet Thursday with Miss Kathryn Day. Assistant hostesses are Mrs. Glenn Gregory and Mrs. Cecil Hudson.

QUEEN ESTHER CIRCLE.

On Monday evening Miss Jane Toble was hostess to the Queen Esther Circle, twelve were present. Miss Dorothy Gregory led the devotions, Miss Wilma Ervin the lesson. Mite boxes were opened. Mrs. Marjorie Vollmer having the largest amount. Dainty refreshments were served.

Miss Rose Kreinlein spent the week end with her mother in Shelbyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pitman spent the week end with relatives in Champaign.

Mrs. Kate Burkhead and granddaughter of Findlay were week end guests of Mrs. William Cheatham and daughters.

Miss Blanche Syfert of Decatur schools spent the week end with her parents near Yantisville.

Mrs. Eliza McGee and Jessie Ann Adams were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Narkamore in Decatur.

Mrs. Leslie Moss is entertaining her sister Mrs. James Bowman and son Paul of Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fowler and Miss Lucile spent the week end in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Meyers and daughter Betty Ruth of Assumption spent the week end in the Leap home.

BAKERY SALE.

On Saturday, April 26, the Womans Home Missionary Society will hold a bakery sale at Frank Hudson's store, beginning at 11 o'clock.

WIENER ROAST.

The girls of the basket ball team enjoyed a wiener roast Friday evening in the woods near Walker station.

Mr. and Mrs. Gid Housh and sons went to Champaign Monday. Mrs. Housh will look for a home.

Miss Evelyn Turner was a week end guest of home folks near Ramsey.

Miss Edna Leaf of Chicago is spending the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Francis Leaf.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Odell and son have returned from two weeks in Champaign and other places.

Doc McDaniel went to Indianapolis on Tuesday with three loads of stock, for Heitmeyer and Pinkston.

James L. Hill of Flint, Mich. visited Mrs. C. F. Gaskill and brother the latter part of the week on his return from California. On Sunday they spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stroud in Decatur.

Mrs. W. C. Hubbell and father Frank Huffman motored to Smithfield Monday. They will spend two weeks visiting relatives there and in Peoria.

SHELA MO CLUB.

Mrs. Cecil Hudson was hostess to the Shela Mo club on Tuesday. Mrs. Frank Moore of Assumption, and Mrs. E. G. Hedges and Mrs. Curtis Light of Decatur were out of town members present.

Miss Lois Riley returned Friday from two weeks visit in Chicago. She was accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Rily who is spending the week in the Hudson home.

JAPS MAY SETTLE IN SOUTH AMERICA

Buenos Aires, April 24.—The Japanese delegation in Argentina engaged in the formation of a plan for a Japanese agricultural settlement in this country, particularly on the border of the state of Formosa near Bolivia, has applied to the headquarters of the Jewish colonization association to supply it with data concerning the organization's colonization work in Argentina.

Special representatives will visit Jewish colonies in the country under the supervision of the association in order to get a first hand knowledge of the system in operation.

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CHOIR MEMBERS TO SELL TICKETS

Oratorio Concert to Be Given May 5.

Members of the Decatur Oratorio choir, at their weekly rehearsal Wednesday night, were asked by the new president, H. W. McDavid, to aid in selling tickets for the choir concert, which is to be given May 5 in the Lincoln Square theater. Some of the members pledged to sell as many as thirty each, and others pledged smaller numbers. Reports will be made at the next rehearsal, which will be held Sunday afternoon at 3:30 as to the progress of the sale of the tickets.

SEND OUT LETTERS.

Two hundred and fifty letters to the guarantors of the concert last year, have been sent out in the interests of this year's concert.

Miss Ruth Brown was greeted with applause from the choir when she made her appearance as accompanist at the rehearsal Wednesday night. Up to this time the director, L. L. Townsend, has been playing the accompaniments himself.

HAS 25 PLAYERS.

The Chicago Little Symphony orchestra, which will accompany the choir in its concert May 5, consists of twenty-five players from the Chicago Symphony orchestra. This latter organization, probably the foremost of its kind in the country, is too well known to require comment. On account of the frequent demand for an orchestra of smaller dimensions the Little Symphony was formed. Those who are at all familiar with the Chicago Orchestra will recognize in the personnel of the Little Symphony many of the leading players of the parent organization.

CHILDREN'S CONCERT.

Besides the accompaniment for the Oratorio choir, the orchestra will give a special program for the children in the afternoon. This program, which will be made up of tuneful numbers of a lighter vein, will be both entertaining and instructive as George Dash, the conductor, will tell something about the compositions to be played. He also will talk about the various instruments of the orchestra, and have these instruments played separately to show their possibilities, their peculiarities, and their different kinds of tones.

A special price of twenty-five cents will be made to children. Adults will be admitted for one dollar.

J. E. CHENOWETH DIES IN LA PLACE

Funeral To Be Conducted At 10:30 Friday Morning.

James Edwin Chenoweth died at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at his home in La Place. He was sixty-three years old. He had been failing for the last six months, suffering from a complication of diseases.

Mr. Chenoweth was born in Platt county, near Cerro Gordo, Jan. 25, 1861. He and Miss Anna Stout were married in Monticello, Sept. 10, 1891. They have lived at La Place for the last thirty-seven years. He was a member of the Modern Woodmen of America. He is survived by his wife and the following children: Mrs. Gertie Miller of Cerro Gordo, David E. Chenoweth and John E. Chenoweth of Decatur; Mrs. Gladys Probst, Mrs. Rosa B. Herman and Arthur Chenoweth, all of La Place. He also leaves the following brothers and sisters: Lon and John Chenoweth of Hammond, Ind., Cora Foreman of Hydro, Okla., Mollie Foreman of Hammond, Ind., and Ella Shields of Buffalo Lake, Minn.

The funeral will be held at 10:30 o'clock Friday morning at the residence. The burial will be in the La Place cemetery.

RILEY PLUNKETT.

The funeral of Riley Plunkett will be held at 2:30 o'clock Friday afternoon at the Church of God on Broadway. The burial will be in the Brush College cemetry.

FORMER VANDALIA CITIZEN IS DEAD

Vandalia, April 24.—Word was received here Tuesday of the death of William Reed, which occurred Monday in Arkansas, where he has been the last few years. His early life was spent here and later he lived in Carlinville. He leaves two brothers, James and Alex, of this city, and one sister, Mrs. F. C. Carmack of Decatur. The body will be brought here for burial.

Rev. Mr. Rugh and George B. Capps are in Pana this week attending a meeting of the Mattoon Presbytery.

I. M. Zent of Auburn, Ind., who is visiting his mother, Mrs. Mary Zent, went to Indianapolis Monday on a few days business trip.

Out of town students, Misses Hazelle Reens, Dorothy Kelley, Champaign; Frieda Gead, Normal; Helen Atkinson and Bernice Barkley, St. Charles; have returned.

Oak Grove Club.

Mrs. Henry Evemeyer on the Boiling Springs road, will entertain the Oak Grove club at her home at 2 o'clock, Friday afternoon. She has just returned from a trip to Florida and will have a place on the program.

ILLINOIS GIDEONS TO BLOOMINGTON

Annual Meeting to Be May 31 and June 1.

The annual convention of the Illinois state Gideons will be held in Bloomington on Saturday and Sunday, May 31 and June 1.

The church headquarters will be at the Second Presbyterian and the Illinois hotel will be the hotel headquarters. Although the program has not as yet been completed, there will be many speakers of eminence and the sessions will be replete with interesting features.

One of the features will be a union mass meeting on Sunday, June 1, at the First Methodist church. Part of the entertainment of guests will be an automobile tour of Bloomington and Normal through the courtesy of the Bloomington Association of Commerce.

On Saturday evening, May 31, a banquet will be held at the Second Presbyterian church. On Sunday afternoon there will be a service at the McLean county jail, followed with a mass meeting at the Home Sweet Home City Rescue Mission. One of the national officers will speak at this time. The slogan of the organization is "100,000 Bibles for Illinois."

THROWS ROCK INTO WINDOW

Thief Takes $10 From Cash Register at Loeb Store.

Some one threw a rock through the door at the Allen Loeb store, 702 East Eldorado street, 2:30 o'clock Thursday morning, went in and robbed the cash register of $10 in change. A man who saw him throw the rock telephoned to the police, but the chief was a fast worker and had disappeared when the officers got there.

The Nalefski store at 1436 North Illinois street was robbed of some pennies, wieners and candies Wednesday night.

W. J. WAYNE HAS TRUSSED LADDER

Granted Patent On Affair for Fire Department.

W. J. Wayne of 453 East Center street, Decatur, has been granted a patent on a special design of trussed extension ladders for the use of fire departments. Mr. Wayne has been a builder of fire-fighting equipment for many years and this ladder embodies some of the improvements which he has been studying and developing for some time.

A patent has also been granted to V. O. Jones for a heater.

W. C. T. U. Plans Jubilee.

Plans for a local jubilee institute to be held in the First Christian church on May 7 were made by the members of the W. C. T. U. at the regular meeting Wednesday afternoon in the First Christian church. It is hoped that a state representative may be brought to Decatur as the chief speaker at that time. Miss Margaret E. Crissey, county president of the W. C. T. U. will report on the national and state jubilee joint conference held April 15 in Urbana. The committee for arrangements for the jubilee is composed of Mrs. Fred Peterson, Mrs. Nettie Slifer, Mrs. J. W. Kelly and Mrs. Mary James.

JOSTES PRESIDENT NON-HIGH BOARD

E. P. Imboden Re-elected to Member of Organization.

Fred Jostes of Boody was elected president of the non-high school board of Macon county when that body met for organization recently. Hayden Veech of Long Creek was elected treasurer and Mrs. Cora B. Ryman, county superintendent of schools, is secretary by virtue of her office.

Edward P. Imboden was elected a member of the board at the election held April 12. He was re-elected to the position.

P. S. HANER HEADS FAIR ASSOCIATION

Other Officers Elected in Christian Co.

Taylorville, April 24—At a meeting Tuesday night of the stockholders of the Christian County Fair association, P. S. Haner was elected president of the association. Teal Reese was elected secretary and Ed Alton was chosen treasurer.

The following men were chosen members of the board of directors: Charles McKenzie, Robert Carlin, Louis Tolliver, P. S. Haner, Ed Alton, Ed Purcell and Teal Reese, all of Taylorville; Mell Sadler, Ross Shepherd, Albert Denton, Charles Beanninger, V. O. Bloxam, Charles Moore, John Baker, John Klinefelter, John Lloyd, John Gillespie, John Orr, James Bradley, George Wollyer and Jack Dwyer of different parts of the county.

PLAN INSTITUTE PROGRAM.

Mrs. John G. Hill, Miss Edna Waddell, Mrs. Charles Potts, and O. P. Simpson attended the meeting of the 21st district Farmer's Institute at Springfield to arrange a program for the institute which will be held here Oct. 30-31 and Nov. 1.

Frank I. Mann of Gilman will be one of the speakers during the institute.

BOND FORFEITED.

The bond of Peter Rochkus for $800 was forfeited in the county court Wednesday morning when he failed to answer when his case was called for trial. The charge was violation of the prohibition law.

The window of the L. Chestnut and Son's furniture store was broken Wednesday morning when a brick flew up from the pavement when struck by a passing automobile. Some work was being done on the pavement and the brick was lying loose. The damage was about $150. No insurance.

ASKS DIVORCE.

Joe Bevilacqua of Kincaid filed suit in the circuit court Wednesday afternoon against his wife, Edith Bevilacqua, of 1205 North Poole street Springfield charging adultery. The couple were married in 1920.

A partition suit was filed in the circuit court Wednesday by Theresa Teichio against John Anghilante, Katie Anghilante, Bertala Stefarin and Lorenzo Davy, all residents of Jeiseyville, Ill.

GET PART OF ESTATE.

Frank and Nol Morrison were each given one-third of the estate of the late Mrs. Octavia Young, according to the will which was filed Wednesday morning, while the three children of a brother, Edwin Morrison Berry, Maynard Morrison and Virginia Morrison Mitchell are given a one-third interest.

Nine hundred dollars was bequeathed to the Ladies Guild of the Presbyterian church.

Frank Morrison is named executor of the will.

The estate is valued at about $40,000.

IN COUNTY COURT.

The following docket for the county court for next week has been set by Judge Vogelsang:

MONDAY, APRIL 28.

The People vs. Ed Diller.
Kelly-Springfield Tire Co. vs. Michal & Sons.
The People vs. Roy Briscoe.
The People vs. Glen Aymer.
The People vs. Ben Wessel.

TUESDAY, APRIL 29.

W. R. Briscoe vs. R. J. Fore.
Lloyd Bros. vs. Wabash Railway Co.
The People vs. Ed Henderson.
The People vs. John Prundzunas.
The People vs. Wm. Herbord.
The People vs. John Rugis.
The People vs. Bert Ring.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 30.

The People vs. Mat Kronzak.
The People vs. Dominick Witkus.
The People vs. Leon Denezy.
The People vs. Jerry Sarver.

THURSDAY, MAY 1.

The People vs. Ben Nave.
The People vs. Tony Catalini.
The People vs. Stanley Vasiliauskas.
The People vs. John Carapellese.

FRIDAY, MAY 2.

The People vs. Victor Vials.
The People vs. Ciro Rubini.
The People vs. Victor Giordini.

ATWOOD P.-T. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

Atwood, April 24 — The Parent-Teacher's association held its last meeting for 1923-1924 at the high school. The following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Clifford Harshbarger.
Vice-president—Mrs. Leslie Lewis.
Secretary—Mrs. Jim Abrams.
Treasurer—Mrs. Glen Painter.

Mrs. Will Rogers visited in Atwood Monday and Tuesday.

Richard Riggs, Miss Gladys Harder and Miss Nurma Hussey returned to Normal Monday after spending the Easter vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Doty of Indianapolis spent Sunday with Mrs. Cora Doty.

Miss Edna Moore spent the week-end with Miss Helene O'Laughlin in Bement.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lewis motored to St. Louis Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wiley of Champaign spent Sunday here.

RADIO PROGRAMS

(Decatur Time)

CHICAGO STATIONS.

6:15 to 6:15—WTAY (275). Concert.
6:15 to 6:45—KYW (536). Talks to be announced.
6:30—WDAP (360). Garden talk, courtesy Vaughan's Seed store.
6:40 to 7—WLS (345). Orchestra.
6:45—KYS (536). Uncle Bob's bedtime story.
6:45—WMAQ (448). Girls' week program.
7 to 8—WGN (370). Dinner hour program.
7 to 8—WLS (345). Talks; musical program.
7—WMAQ (448). Boy Scouts; auto talk; "Our National Parks," Ellis P. Cole, financial talk.
7 to 7:30—KYW (536). Congress hotel orchestra.
7 to 8—WDAP (360). Drake concert ensemble; Bricklatone, string quintet.
7 to 8—WLS (345). Juvenile night; musical program.
7:35 to 8—KYW (536). Talks, sports, finance.
8—KYW (536). Twenty Minutes of Good Reading; the Rev. C. J. Perrin.
8 to 8:30—WDAP (360). Barton organ recital.
8:30 to 9:15—KYW (536). Concert.
8:60—WMAQ (448). La Salle orchestra.
8 to 11—WGN (370). Musical program.
9—WMAQ (448). Lecture, Prof. Betrum G. Nelson.
9:15 to 10—WMAQ (448). Drexel quartet.
10—WDAP (360). Salvation Army band; Tom Malie and Jack Little; Jack Chapman's dance orchestra.
10:30—WLS (345). Address, William A. Brady.
11—WLS (345). Popular songs; orchestra.
11:45 to 1 a. m.—WLS (345). Midnight mardi gras; featuring members of "The House-Thief."

OTHER STATIONS.

Silent night for WOR, Newark; WOO WDAR, Philadelphia; WCAP, Washington; KGO, Pittsburgh; WCX, Detroit; WGR, Buffalo; KSD, Detroit; KPO, San Francisco.

6—WCX (517), Detroit. Concert.
7—WGY (380), Schenectady. Concert.
7—WJAX (390), Cleveland. Concert.
7 to 10—WGAZ (360), South Bend, Ind. Notre Dame university night.
7—WOC (416), Davenport. Lecture.
7:30 to 8:30—WEAF (492), New York. Lotz chamber music recital.
7:30—WJZ (454), New York. Wanamaker organ recital.
7:30—KDKA (326), Pittsburgh. Classical program. Little Symphony orchestra and soloists.
7:30—WGAE (482), Pittsburgh. Concert.
7:30 to 9—WHAS (400), Louisville. Quartet; talks.
7:30—KENF (206), Shenandoah, Ia. Orchestral concert.
7:30 to 8—WHAA (484), Iowa City. Talks; music.
7:30 to 8:30—WBAP (476), Fort Worth. Concert, high school of Denton, Tex.
8 to 9—WSB (429), Atlanta. Talks; musical program.
8 to 10—WCBD (345), Zion. Concert.
8:15—WJZ (454), New York. American Newspaper Publishers association dinner; speaker, Sir Esme Howard.
8:15—WRC (469), Washington. Dance.
8:30 to 10—WEAF (492), New York. Classical concert, vocal and instrumental.
8:30 to 11—WHN (360), New York. Popular musical program.
8:30—WMC (500), Memphis. Philharmonic orchestra.
8:30 to 10—WTAS (250), Elgin. Popular musical program.
8:30 to 9:30—WFAA (476), Dallas. Wednesday Morning Choral club.
9—WJY (405), New York. Tenor solos.
9 to 10—WHB (411), Kansas City. Vocal and instrumental.
9—WWJ (517), Detroit. Dance orchestra.
9—WOAW (526), Omaha. Orchestra.
9 to 10—WOC (484), Davenport. Orchestra; vocal numbers.
9 to 10—WHB (411), Kansas City. Sweeney radio orchestra.
9—KFAE (360), Denver. Concert.
9:15—WJAN (450), Peoria. Dance.
9:30—WJY (405), New York. Hotel Majestic dance orchestra.
9:30—CKAC (425), Montreal. Dance.
9:30 to 10:45—WBAP (476), Fort Worth. Organ recital, Will Foster.
10 to 11—WEAF (492), New York. Hotel Pennsylvania orchestra.
10—WCAE (462), Pittsburgh. Boyd's Cameo six.
10 to 11—WLW (309), Cincinnati. Vocal and instrumental.
10—WWJ (517), Detroit. Orchestra.
10 to 12—KFI (469), Los Angeles. Concert program.
10 to 12—KHJ (395), Los Angeles. Vocal and instrumental.
10—KGO (312), Oakland. Concert.
10:15 to 12—KGW (491), Portland. Orchestra.
11—WLW (309), Cincinnati. Dance.
11 to 12—WFAA (476), Dallas. Dance.
11:45—WHAP (411), Kansas City. Nighthawk frolic.
12 to 1 a. m.—KFI (469), Los Angeles. Musical program.
12—KGW (491), Portland. Dance.

CONFESSES HE BLEW WIFE TO PIECES

Florence, Ariz., April 24.—Frank G. Hutchison of Superior, Ariz., confessed Wednesday night that he killed his wife by setting off a charge of dynamite under her bed at their home at Superior the night of April 14, according to Sheriff Thurman of Pinal county.

SENIOR HIGH PLAY AT SHELBYVILLE

To Present "Out of the Stillness."

Shelbyville, April 24—"Out of the Stillness," the play chosen by the senior class of the Shelbyville high school, will be presented at the high school auditorium Friday night. For the last four weeks R. C. Fox has been directing the play and everything is in readiness for the big event.

The play is a three-act comedy-drama by Lindsey Barbee and is one of the most interesting that could be obtained for high school production. The play will be composed of one of the largest casts used in a high school play here.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

About twenty-six relatives and friends of Miss Bertha Miller gathered at her home Sunday with well filled baskets and helped her celebrate her eighteenth birthday. Those present were Boyd Miller and family, James Miller, Jesse Miller and daughter Hilma, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Harbert and son Junior, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Durst and son Billie, Lois and Inez Tate, Grace Miller, Orth Elliott, Clifford Durst, Garnet Audes and Jesse Omsnoch.

NUXOLL-KABBES.

Joseph Nuxoll, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Nuxoll, and Miss Rose Kabbes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Kabbes both of Sigel neighborhood, were married Tuesday morning at St. Mary's church at Green Creek. Adolph Nuxoll, brother of the bridegroom, and Emma Kabbes, sister of the bride were the witnesses.

LEGION TO GIVE PLAY.

The Roy Vanderpool Post of the American Legion will give a home talent play May 1 and 2. Miss McKee of Rock Island is here working on the play now and is getting everything in readiness. The play to be given is "Hokus Pokus" and has been given in several cities around Shelbyville, meeting with wonderful success. There are ten main characters and twenty chorus girls.

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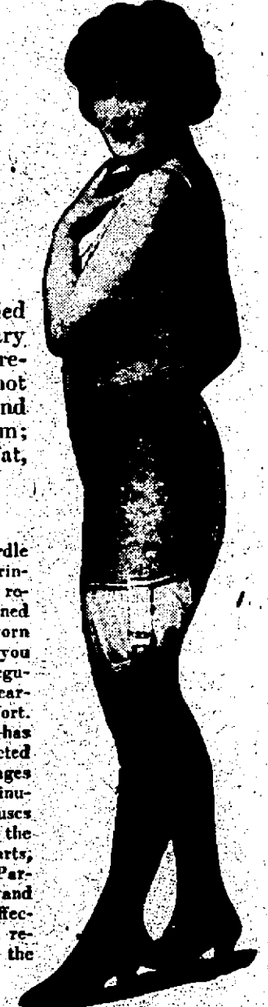
Waist and Hips Reduced Quickly with New Kind of Girdle

The moment you put on this new kind of girdle your waist and hips look inches thinner—and you get thin while looking thin, for this new invention produces the same results as an expert masseur. Makes fat vanish with surprising rapidity while you walk, play, work or sleep, yet does it so gently that you hardly know it is there. No more heart-straining exercises—no more disagreeable starving diets—no more harmful medicines—no more bitter self-denials.



The Madame X Reducing Girdle takes the place of stiff corsets and gives you with comfort Fashion's straight boyish lines. Makes you look and feel years younger.

At last! A wonderful new scientific girdle that improves your appearance immediately and reduces your waist and hips almost "while you wait!" The instant you put on the new girdle the bulky fat on the waist and hips seems to vanish, the waist-line lengthens, and your body becomes erect, graceful, youthfully slender! And then—with every step you make, with every breath you take, with every little motion, this new kind of girdle gently massages away the disfiguring useless fat—and you look and feel many years younger!

Look More Slender At Once!

Think of it—no more protruding abdomen—no more heavy bulging hips. By means of this new invention, known as the Madame X Reducing Girdle, you can look more slender immediately! You don't have to wait until the fat is gone in order to appear slim and youthful! You actually look thin while getting thin! It ends forever the need for stiff corsets and gives you with comfort Fashion's straight boyish lines!

The Madame X Reducing Girdle is different from anything else you've seen or tried—far different from ordinary special corsets or other reducing methods. It does not merely draw in your waist and make you appear more slim; it actually takes off the fat, gently but surely!

Actually Reduces Fat

The Madame X Reducing Girdle is built upon scientific massage principles. It is made of the most resilient rubber—especially designed for reducing purposes—and is worn over the undergarment. Gives you the same slim appearance as a regular corset without the stiff appearance and without any discomfort. Fits as snugly as a kid glove—has garters attached—and so constructed that it touches and gently massages every portion of the surface continually! The constant massage causes a more vigorous circulation of the blood, not only through these parts, but throughout the entire body! Particularly around the abdomen and hips, this gentle massage is so effective that it often brings about a remarkable reduction in weight in the first few days.

Those who have worn it say you feel like a new person when you put on the Madame X Reducing Girdle. You'll look better and feel better. You'll be surprised how quickly you'll be able to walk, dance, climb, indulge in outdoor sports.

Come In And See The Madame X Reducing Girdle

You can't appreciate how marvelous the Madame X Reducing Girdle really is until you actually see and examine it. And this you can easily do. We invite you to call at our corset shop today and learn all about this easy and pleasant way of becoming fashionably slender.

Madame X Reducing Girdle

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Physicians recommend Emerald Oil; it is used in hospital practice and a small bottle will last a long time, because it is very concentrated and a little goes a long way. Apply night and morning with a soft brush as directed until the swelling is reduced to normal.

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Now She Can Walk "I'm Happy," Says Peterson

"Here is another letter that makes me happy," says Peterson. "One that I would rather have than a thousand dollars."

"Money isn't everything in this world. There is many a big-hearted rich man who would give all he has on earth to be able to produce a remedy with such mighty healing power as Peterson's Ointment.

"Read this letter by Mrs. Albert Southcott. It seems like a miracle but it is true, every word of it.

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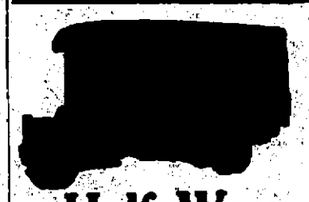
"You may use this to recommend your ointment if you wish. I cannot say enough to praise it." Yours truly, Mrs. Albert Southcott, Lyndonville, N. Y. Price 35c.



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SOCIAL NEWS

KAPPA PHI KAPPA TAKES SEVEN MEN FROM MILLIKIN U.

Seven students at the James Millikin university were initiated into Kappa Phi Kappa, National Educational fraternity, Wednesday evening in the home of Professor Watson Melvage, 1455 West Wood street. The following men were initiated: Favre Gould, Modesto, Ill.; Ralph Jones, Gregon, Ill.; Earle Pease, Warrensburg; Rolland Moar, Brodhead, Wis.; Stafford Simer, Monticello; Wheaton Allen, Lincoln, Neb., and Robert Taylor of Decatur.

Following the initiation services, luncheon was served.

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Kappa Delta Chi fraternity held a delightful informal dance Tuesday evening in the chapter house in West Wood street, in honor of the J. M. U. students who have passed the Easter vacation in their homes out of town.

CORNS

Lift Off—No Pain!

Doesn't hurt one bit! Drop a little "Freezone" on an aching corn, instantly that corn stops hurting, then shortly you lift it right off with fingers.

Your druggist sells a tiny bottle of "Freezone" for a few cents, sufficient to remove every hard corn, soft corn, or corn between the toes, and the foot callouses, without soreness or irritation.

Child-birth

HOW thousands of women, by the simple method of an eminent physician, have avoided unnecessary suffering through many months and up to the moment Baby has arrived, is fully explained in the remarkable book "Motherhood and the Baby." Tells also what to do before and after baby comes, probable date of birth, baby rules, etc., and about "Mother's Friend," used by three generations of mothers, and sold in all drug stores everywhere. "Mother's Friend" is applied externally, is safe, free from narcotics, permits easier natural readjustment of muscles and nerves during expectancy and childbirth. Start using it today. Mrs. E. H. Kreger, Slayton, Minn., says: "It pulled me through." Send for book today, to Bradfield Regulator Co., BA-76, Atlanta, Ga. "Mother's Friend" is sold at all drug stores.

Alkali in Soap Bad for the Hair

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Many soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much free alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo. Which is pure and greaseless, and is better than anything else you can use.

Two or three teaspoonfuls is sufficient to cleanse your hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excess oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy, wavy, and easy to manage.

You can get Mulsified cocoanut oil shampoo at any drug store; it is inexpensive and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

MRS. E. L. PEGRAM, 468 West William street, delegate from Stephen Decatur chapter to the Continental congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution held in Washington, D. C., last week, arrived in Decatur Tuesday evening, reporting that the convention was one of the finest ever held by the organization. She had the pleasure of hearing President Coolidge, as did the other Decatur women who went, Mrs. Anna H. Roberts, delegate, and Mrs. Elizabeth N. Wells. The latter two Decatur women plan to return Saturday. There were 1,700 voting delegates in attendance, which of course overcrowded the D. A. R. room.

Mrs. Pegram and Mrs. Roberts will report on the convention at the next meeting of Stephen Decatur chapter, D. A. R., on May 1, with Mrs. E. T. Evans, 934 West William street.

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Miss Hildred Kuhle and O. A. Kuhle, students at the University of Illinois, returned Wednesday to their school after passing the Easter vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Kuhle, West North street.

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Theta Gamma Lambda sorority will have its first social affair Friday evening, April 25, in the Elks club, dancing being from the hours of 9 o'clock until 12. Homebrook's orchestra will furnish the music for the evening. Comprising the new independent sorority are Mrs. Harold Walters, Miss Greta Jane Snyder, Miss Almes Dunn, Miss Lenore Miller, Miss Iona and Miss Lucile Crinnigan, Miss Catherine Cantwell and Miss Dorsey Gregg. The ticket invitations will be accepted at the door but no money will be taken at that time.

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FIFTEEN tables of bridge and five hundred were at play at the card party given Wednesday afternoon by the Knights of Columbus ladies in the K. of C. hall. High score prizes in bridge were awarded first Mrs. Frank Mooney, and second, Mrs. P. J. Reilly. Prizes in five hundred were awarded, first, Mrs. Lewis Huffer, second, Mrs. Ben Vollmer, and third, Mrs. Delany. In the drawing contest, Mrs. Delaney of Warrensburg won first prize.

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Mrs. O. C. Pierce, 855 West Elm street, entertained the While Away club Wednesday afternoon. The time was spent in fancy work. Two contests were held, Mrs. Orville Wilhelmy winning first prize and Mrs. Clifford Jones low in one, and Mrs. H. Kippenham winning first and Mrs. Wilhelmy low in the other. A miscellaneous shower was given Mrs. Clifford Jones in honor of her birthday. The club prize was presented the hostess. Light refreshments were served, carrying out the color scheme of pink and white: The centerpiece was of pink and white sweet peas. The next meeting will be on May 7 with Mrs. J. E. Crim, 351 East Center street.

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Members of the W. N. W. club, which until the meeting Wednesday afternoon was named the LaSenorita club met in the home of Mrs. A. J. Bennington, 1943 North Union street, Wednesday afternoon. The next meeting will be in two weeks with Mrs. Mayme Eramel, 2907 Giles street.

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The Past Grand club will have an all day meeting Friday with Mrs. M. O. Barger, 1160 West North.

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Mrs. M. Kirkwood, 1204 West Wood entertained the Katy Did club Tuesday afternoon with three tables of five hundred at play. First prize was won by Mrs. W. Altenbach, second by Mrs. C. F. Smart and consolation went to Mrs. Mary Fairchilds. The next meeting will be with Mrs. George Duncan, 1354 North College, May 6.

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The Chat-A-Lot club was entertained Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Dial Tuesday afternoon. The club prize was given to Mrs. Nora Knotts. Mrs. Margaret Fletcher will entertain the club at the next meeting.

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The L. G. club met Tuesday with Mrs. Wesley Mitvalski, 1491 West Forrest. Those winning prizes at five hundred were Mrs. Mitvalski, Mrs. Martin Fields, Mrs. James Worsham. Mrs. Harry Boose was given consolation prize. The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. W. E. Moore, 1328 East Wood street.

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The Sunshine club was entertained in the home of Mrs. Hillard, 420 East Center street, Wednesday with a potluck dinner at noon. Seventeen members were present. A business meeting was held in the afternoon. The next meeting will be May 21 at the Pines.

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The Elite club will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. Claude Fritz, 1646 North Monroe street.

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The five hundred club of Mueller's Manufacturing company employes was entertained in the home of Mrs. Katy McKeown Tuesday evening, Mrs. J. J. Lewis assisted with the entertaining.

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MARRIED

DICKSON-FORD.

W. B. Ford, for fifteen years southern sales manager for the Mueller Manufacturing company, and Miss Jane Dickson were married April 14.

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GRAY-WHALEN.

Clarence Gray of Alton and Miss Gladys Whalen of Granite City, were married at 8:30 Tuesday evening by Rev. A. M. Wells, in his home, 1714 North Main. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. O. White and Mr. and Mrs. Schwartz.

In The Schools

WARREN.

Practically all the teachers in the Warren school witnessed the moving picture, "The Whipping Boss," which was shown here under the auspices of the American Legion, and the teachers are grateful to the Legion whose guests they were.

ULLRICH.

The Mothers' club of the Ullrich school is having a movie benefit show at the Alhambra theater Friday evening. The picture is "The Woman Who Conquers." The mothers will sell home made candy in the theater lobby.

The stereoscope and stereograph, which the Mothers' and Fathers' clubs purchased for the school, have arrived and the children are deriving much pleasure from the use of them.

JASPER.

The Mothers' club of the Jasper school will have a pot luck dinner for the teachers at the school Friday noon. Each mother in the district is invited and is asked to bring one dish and a few sandwiches. The children whose mothers are there will eat lunch at the school.

H. B. DURFEE.

The 7A grade won from the 7B in the H. B. Durfee school baseball tournament Wednesday afternoon, the score being thirty-nine to three.

GASTMAN.

Miss Hannah Gevirtz, physical director, gave a building practice in the E. A. Gastman school, Thursday afternoon, for the pageant which the school children will present next month. The principals from the other ward schools witnessed the practice.

The Mothers' club will meet at 3:30 Friday afternoon.

DR. WILLIAM EDLER AT UNIVERSITY

Discuss Defective Mentalities In Relation to Crime.

How the medical profession is getting more of an insight into the relation of defective mentalities to crime was told by Dr. William Edler, medical association speaker on the Millikin lecture course in his talk in the Millikin auditorium Wednesday afternoon.

In his address which was entitled "The Relation of Mental Deficiency or Defectiveness to Delinquency," Dr. Edler spoke of the mistaken policy of treating many as criminals when they should be treated as mental defectives.

Only a small audience heard the talk.

WOMEN! DYE ANY GARMENT OR DRAPERY

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Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded things new, even if she has never dyed before. Drug stores sell all colors.

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New Tub Frocks Arrive

CHARMINGLY INDIVIDUAL—MODESTLY PRICED

Now, at the threshold of summer, the spell of the season expresses its charm in many lovely new Tub Frocks just received. They are the first of the season's wash frocks, and they have been carefully chosen. The fabrics are new and smart; the colors are distinctive and pretty; the fashionings are summer's own. They measure fully up to Lee store standards—and prices, you'll agree, are very moderate.

First Showing of Pretty

Cotton and Linen Tub Frocks

$10 $12.95 $15 $25

Charming new creations in Printed Voiles, Dotted Swisses, and plain or embroidered Linens. Dozens of pretty styles, colors and patterns, made by manufacturers noted for making only the very highest type of frocks.

Beautiful Models—Well Made

Each frock is marked by perfect needlework and extreme good taste in styling and trimming—just such frocks, in fact, as most discriminating women will delight in wearing.

Come in tomorrow and make your selections, while the variety is complete.

A Special Offering of

Frocks of Newest Tub Silks

$24.00

This is a special group of fine tub silk frocks which come to us from many manufacturers. A number of beautiful "Francine Frocks" are included—and all are offered at a most unusual price.

Every New Style and Color

These frocks are made from the newest and finest tub silks—in new wide and narrow stripes, neat checks, and plain shades. The color range embraces Maize, Orchid, Peach, Rose, Tan, White, and many attractive combinations. There's a wonderful assortment of new styles.

Many beautiful tub silk frocks are also featured at $19.50.

"A Feast of Bargains"—

Modish Silk and Wool FROCKS

Specially Priced at

$14

In this offering of frocks at $14 are garments from higher priced lines ranging regularly from $25 to $39.50.

In view of this store's policy of carefulness regarding all printed or spoken statements, you may come here with every confidence of getting exactly what we say you will, regardless of how extreme the value may seem.

The frocks in this wonderful group are well made and smartly fashioned, from fine silk and wool materials, and possess all the style and character of merchandise usually sold at this store.

Mostly dark shades, in a variety of desirable early spring styles. The demand for them at the special price is sure to be spirited, so we strongly urge you to make

Our Spring Garment Clearance Continues

Reductions real and radical are effective now on our entire lines of Coats, Suits and Dresses. You can save most substantially on needed apparel by buying it now.

Dresses Reduced

Dresses that have been marked $25 and $35; reasonable, smart, new frocks, both silk and wool. Clearance price ... **$14**

$24 Dresses that have been marked $35 and $39.50. A choice collection of lovely frocks for every occasion, $24.

Dresses that have been marked $39.50 and $49.50; charming daytime, evening, sports and business dresses **$34**

Coats Reduced

Coats that sold up to $19.50; swagger new coats, fashioned of downy wool, soft pile fabrics in hosts of smart plaids, checks and stripes. Clearance price **$12**

$22 Coats that sold at $29.50 and $35: full flare and mannish styles for the woman or miss who likes something smart at a moderate price.

Coats that sold at $55 and $59.50; coats of charmeen, of silk, of satin, of beautiful pile fabrics—exclusive Lee modes—for dress, street and sports wear **$42**

Suits Reduced

$23 Suits that sold up to $35. Poiret twills, mixtures and stripes; smart interpretations of the season's favored modes.

Suits that sold up to $50; boyish tailleur, boxy styles, as well as the more practical mode; plain colors and hair line stripes **$33**

$43 Suits that sold up to $65; suits youthful, becoming and smart in every detail; charmeen, hairline stripes and fine Poiret Twills.

An Unusual Value in Silk Hosiery AT $1.00 PAIR

After careful research extending to every market, we believe we have brought best silk hose ever made to retail at $1 a pair. And we believe you will agree with this statement when you see these hose. New spring shades—Atmosphere, French Nude, Silver Moon, Beaver, Airedale, Jack Rabbit, Tan Bark, French Peach, and Tiger Lily. A pair, $1.00.

The Best of Nationally Known Makes of Silk Hosiery AT $2.00 PAIR

When better hose than Van Raalte, Gotham Gold Stripe, and Kayser are made in America—Lee's will have them. These three excellent makes are included in our $2 line, in both fine thread silk and chiffon—in black and a dozen or more popular light colors for spring. Each pair comes in a separate paper container. A pair, $2.00.

SPECIAL SALE

Friday and Saturday

NEW SPRING MILLINERY

$6.95

The better values taken from our regular stock go into this two day sale—hats for every occasion.

All the New Colors
Cocoa
Orchid
Empire blue
Chinese red
Crab-apple

All the New Shapes
Pokes
Cloches
Turbans
Rolled brims
Off-the-face

All the New Straws
Kiko
Timbo
Oatmeal
Milan
Hemp

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Household Suggestions

Perfect Food.

Hard-boiled eggs are served with greens or spinach not only because of their color harmony but because they furnish the protein necessary to make the combination a perfect food.

Rhubarb.

When cooking rhubarb it is a good plan to prepare more than you want for immediate consumption and can the extra supply for a few days later.

Use Iodine.

For any fresh wound that may become infected, such as a cut, scratch or contact with a rusty nail, apply tincture of iodine immediately.

For Cleaning.

Use linseed oil and petroleum on a soft cloth to clean your painted floors or painted furniture.

Paraffin Paper.

You can buy paraffin paper by the roll and will find it most convenient for wrapping up food supplies or lining your cake pans.

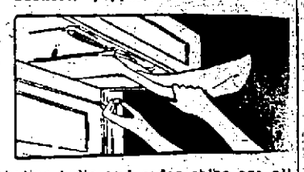
Wash Ice.

Always wash the ice before putting

it in the refrigerator so that it does not carry in any unnecessary dirt.

Moths.

Tobacco, pepper, camphor, nap-



thaline balls and cedar chips are all effective in keeping out moths.

Cheap Cutlery.

It does not pay to buy cheap cutlery as inferior steel does not take a sharp edge or hold one.

Tomatoes.

A delicious way to prepare eggs is to bake them inside small tomatoes. Remove the stem end from the tomato and take out the pulp, and slip in the egg, sprinkling with salt, pepper, buttered cream and a bit of parsley.

Cream Soups.

Cream soups and purees made with milk are best when you are serving a light dinner or luncheon. They are too rich to precede a heavy meal.

Feathers.

Light-colored feathers may be cleaned by sprinkling very lightly with gasoline, then burying a week in cornstarch and magnesia.

Clean Brushes.

Clean your cleaning brushes occasionally with hot borax suds. This will clean them without loosening the bristles.

5 Operations—15 years suffering with constipation—Kellogg's Bran restores health

Mr. Lansing's case is typical of thousands of others. He found permanent relief from constipation in Kellogg's Bran because it is ALL bran. Nothing but ALL bran can be 100 per cent effective. Read what he says:

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Frank Lansing,
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For permanent relief, eat Kellogg's Bran regularly. Two tablespoonfuls daily—in chronic cases, with every meal. It is guaranteed to bring results, or your grocer will return your money.

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Satisfaction guaranteed. Ask your druggist.

Get a Can TODAY!

BLACK HATS ARE STRIKING MODES

Paris, April 24—Lovely black hats are a striking feature at the moment. They are rather large, made of tulle and lace, usually decorated with a few big, vivid flowers.

Paris, April 24— Tulle petals are once more the vogue, decorating many evening frocks. They range in size from tiny scallops to those large enough to be called panels.

London, April 24—Whatever should we do without the ostrich? At this instance he decorates our evening cloaks, our frocks, our hats—and our bracelets. A tortoise shell bracelet rimmed with tiny yellow ostrich tips is one of the season's novelties.

London, April 24—There is a prevailing downward tendency today to ornamentation. Coats have embroidery running down to points, hats have ribbons hanging down from the brims, costumes have a downward sweep of flounces.

New York, April 24—On the top shelf of your grandmother's pantry there is probably a glass jar about a foot high, of a lovely blue or green shade. Grandmother used to put chili sauce in it. Get it down and fill it with flowers—the old-time pickle jar is the latest boudoir vase.

MEMORIAL TABLET TO HONOR FALLOWS

Bloomington, April 24—Samuel Fallows, soldier, educator and bishop is to be honored in a memorial tablet to be unveiled at Illinois Wesleyan university April 24 by the Illinois department of the Woman's Relief Corps.

Miss Alice Fallows, daughter of Bishop Fallows, has been invited to unveil the tablet, which is the gift of the relief corps.

Bishop Fallows at the time of his death was head of the Reformed Episcopal church in North America. In 1873 and 1874 he was president of Illinois Wesleyan University.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

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(A daily menu for the stout and thin)

EAT AND—

Lose Weight

One-half grapefruit, 1 poached egg on 1 cup spinach, 1 large fig stuffed with 5 almonds blanched and shredded, 2 lamb chops, 4 tablespoons string beans, 1 cup shredded cabbage, 2 thin pieces crisp, whole wheat toast, 1 thin slice gluten bread, 1 gluten roll, 1 pint skimmed milk.

Total calories, 1185. Protein, 243; fat, 370; carbohydrate, 572. Iron, .0211 gram.

Would you believe that two innocent tablespoonsful of lemon ice would add 158 calories of carbohydrate to your menu? They will, for I planned a treat for you and then had to retract after figuring.

Stew dry figs until tender in water to cover. Do not sweeten. Drain and fill with chopped nuts and serve with a little of the liquor in which they were cooked.

The spinach is cooked in its own juice, finely chopped and seasoned with salt and pepper. Form into a nest-like shape and drop a poached egg in the hollow.

The cabbage is seasoned with salt and pepper and lemon juice. A few celery seeds scattered through the dish make a change.

The beans should be served for the reducing diet before seasoning with butter for the rest of the family.

Gain Weight

One-half grapefruit with 1 tablespoon sugar, 1 large mashed potato cake, 2 slices broiled bacon diced in ½ cup white sauce on toast, 1 poached egg on 1 cup spinach with 1 tablespoon melted butter, 2 large stuffed figs with 2 tablespoons whipped cream, 1 cup cream of corn soup with 1 tablespoon whipped cream, ½ cup well buttered popcorn, 2 tablespoons diced potatoes in 4 tablespoons cream sauce, 2 lamb chops, 1 medium sized sweet potato (baked), 4 tablespoons string beans in 4 tablespoons cream, ½ cup shredded cabbage with 1 tablespoon chopped nuts and 2 tablespoons oil mayonnaise, 2 bran muffins, 1 cinnamon roll, 2 dinner rolls, 4 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons lemon ice folded into 2 tablespoons whipped cream with 2 tablespoons hot thick maple sirup poured over the whole, 1 pint whole milk.

Total calories, 4724. Protein, 416; fat, 2285; carbohydrate, 2023. Iron .0284 gram.

Remember that much depends on your height and occupation when figuring the required number of calories. If you are active in outdoor sports (including housecleaning), you will need all of these fat calories even if you are short in stature. But if you are leading an inactive life with just enough outdoor exercise to keep you fit my suggestion is to decrease the whipped cream.

These figs are stuffed with English walnuts and raisins chopped and moistened with some of the fig juice.

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PLAIN AND PLAID

A happy combination of plain and plaid is hereby presented. This suit, though it is obviously a sport frock, is equally useful in town or country, and is particularly useful on those occasions when a bit of warmth is desirable.

Wooden Beads.

Coats embroidered with wooden beads bear no resemblance to the embroidered models of which we have grown a little tired. The beads may be dull or bright as you desire.

False Hems.

One of the newest coats has three false hems, giving the effect of three tiers. They shade from tan to a deep brown.

Smart Indeed.

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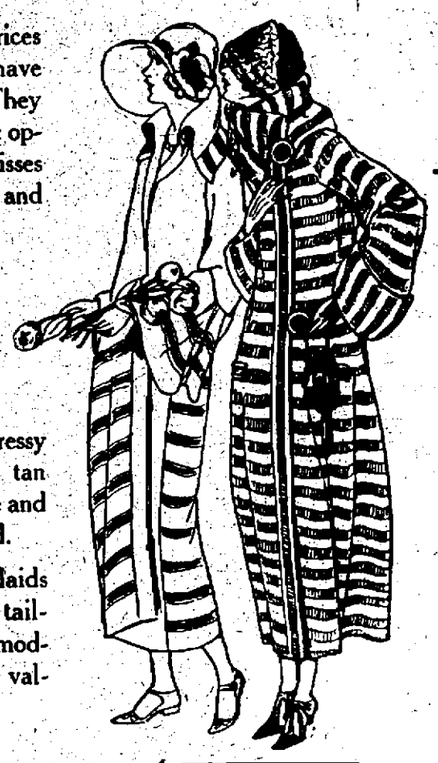

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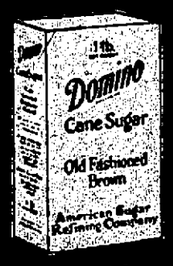

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Jim Duchalsky Latest Commie to be Signed

Former Trax Hurler Comes Here As Free Agent—Won 13 and Lost 8 in 1923 Race.

BY HOWARD V. HILLARD.

Jim Duchalsky, the Hawaiian hurler with Dick Breen's Peoria Tractors last season will not bother the Commies like he did during the 1923 race. Not that the dark skinned boy isn't a good hurler but he is going to be on the Commie staff this season.

The pitcher, who with Tony Ladzeri, was farmed to the Trax last season, has accepted terms with Manager Irelan and is enroute here from the home of Brigham Young and should arrive Saturday. Duchalsky is the property of the Commies and if he shows his 1923 form should win a number of ball games this season.

FINISHED WELL.

Up until July 5 last season Duchalsky had but three wins and six defeats to his credit but from that time on he hit his stride and finished with a record of thirteen wins and eight defeats or five games over the .500 mark. Give a ball club with four hurlers winning five games over the .500 mark and they will certainly be right in the old flag race.

A pitcher who finishes with the same percentage of his club is figured as having performed good work but the new Commie was nearly 100 points higher than the percentage shows by the Peoria club at the end of the 1923 race. Two of his games were three hit affairs while one was a four hit contest. He hurled as many extra inning games as any flinger in the circuit, having four to his credit. His record for the season was above that of such flingers as Crandall, sold to Los Angeles, by Danville; Hodges, Conkwright, Mels, Love, Hoots, Jolly, Kimpling, Salisbury, Gerstner, Grant now with the St. Louis Browns; Hammond, Hagenbruch and other flingers counted on being retained by Three Eye clubs this season.

With Sullivan, Kotzelnick, Daniels, Duchalsky and Donnelly, Manager Irelan now boasts five tried and experienced hurlers with three or four good looking youngsters who have a chance to push one of the vets into the discard.

HAVE GOOD WORKOUT.

A rise in the temperature Wednesday was welcomed by the Commie athletes and Manager Irelan sent them through a long hitting and fielding drill. Cowboy Jones, the tall boy sent here from Mobile was looking much better in the hitting practice Wednesday and sent out some nice drives. He will have a chance to show his wares in the series with Kalamazoo which opens at Staley Field Friday afternoon.

The infield, expected to be the fastest in the circuit showed up in great shape Wednesday. Ralph McCollister and Harry Brant were looking like a million dollars in the execution of their plays while Mickey Kelliher, Irelan and Swenson showed speed. Irelan is feeling much better these days following his attack of stomach trouble and will be in there this week-end.

MR. BASEBALL FAN WHAT DO YOU SAY?

For the last five weeks twelve citizens of Decatur have been devoting their time to the interest of baseball in this city. They form the cast for the Baseball Fans' Association show, "Heads or Tails," which appears at the Lincoln Square theater tonight and Friday night.

This morning at five minutes to one, while most of you were enjoying a fine rest, they were at the Lincoln Square theater. No, not leaving from a rehearsal, but just going on the stage to start it. When the town clock struck two they were still on the job. Three also toiled off, as did four before they were on their way home.

These people were called upon to give the Commies a lift in their race for the pennant this season and they responded with a bang. It is a challenge to the other fans in Decatur. Are you going to greet them with a full house each night?

We are all dandy rooters when the Commies are putting over a victory at Staley Field. Are we going to be just as good rooters in the off season?

FLINT-PEORIA TO STAGE FOUR GAMES

O'Leary Anxious to Slip Over Victories.

Peoria, Ill., April 24—Following the unsuccessful series at Decatur last week-end Dan O'Leary and his Flint athletes are taking the coming four game set with the Tractors most seriously. The folks back home cannot get enthused over defeats and that is what the rambunctious Commies handed out last week.

The series with the Trax begins on Woodruff field Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Games will be played every day thereafter, ending Sunday, two days before the Three-I season gets underway.

IMPORTANT SERIES.

Both Manager Dick Breen and O'Leary will take every advantage of their chance to give their abundant material the final once-over before making the heavy cuts preparatory to starting the season off. Manager Breen's problem is particularly acute in view of the excellent showing of his outfielders and pitchers.

TRAX SQUAD TO DIMINISH.

The Tractor squad will probably number around 16 or 17 players including the manager by game time next Tuesday. Some of the surplus athletes will be making their way homeward ere the week-end is over, Manager Breen indicated today.

Four outfielders, four infielders, a pair of receivers and six or seven pitchers will probably be carried for the first few days of the regular season. Breen is prepared to retain that many players until the league ruling which compels the clubs to cut down to 15 players, goes into force May 15.

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BROWNS BREAK LOSING STREAK

Babe Ruth Has Big Day As Yanks Open At Home.

St. Louis, April 24—The Browns broke their losing streak Wednesday by winning from the Chicago White Sox 3 to 5 in their first home game of the season. Approximately 15,000 saw the game. The Browns hit Lyons freely.

Chicago—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Mostil, cf	5	1	2	4	0	1
Hooper, rf	3	1	1	2	0	0
Collins, 2b	3	0	1	4	3	0
Sheely, 1b	4	0	2	10	0	0
Kamm, 3b	4	0	1	2	0	0
Barrett, lf	4	1	2	1	0	1
McClellan, ss	4	1	2	0	5	0
Cruse, c	2	0	0	1	1	1
T. Lyons, p	3	1	1	0	1	0
Leverette, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
zFrench	1	0	0	0	0	0
xxThurston	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	35	5	12	24	1	3

xBatted for Cruse in ninth.
xxBatted for Leverette in ninth.

St. Louis—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Tobin, rf	5	1	3	3	0	0
Bennett, lf	4	3	2	1	0	0
Sisler, 1b	5	2	2	9	2	0
McManus, 2b	3	0	1	4	3	0
Jacobson, cf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Severeid, c	4	0	1	4	0	0
Gerber, ss	3	0	0	3	5	0
Robertson, 3b	4	1	2	1	2	0
Danforth, p	2	0	0	1	1	0
Pruett, p	2	1	1	1	1	0
Totals	37	9	14	27	13	0

Chicago	000 050 000—5
St. Louis	002 021 22x—9

Two-base hits—Mostil, McManus, Barrett, Jacobson 2, Pruett.
Stolen bases—Hooper, Barrett, Sisler.
Sacrifices—Hooper, Cruse, McManus 2, Collins.
Double plays—Gerber to McManus to Sisler; McClellan to Collins to Sheely; Sisler to Gerber; Robertson to Gerber to Sisler.
Left on bases—Chicago 5, St. Louis 8.
Bases on balls—Off Lyons 1, Pruett 1.
Struck out—By Danforth 1, by Pruett 2.
Hits—Off Lyons, 14 in 6 1-3 innings; off Danforth, 9 in 4 2-3 innings; off Leverette, 2 in 1 2-3, off Pruett, 3 in 4 1-3.
Hit by pitcher—By Leverette (Garber).
Winning pitcher—Pruett.
Losing pitcher—Lyons.
Umpires—Hildebrand, Moriarity and Ormsby.

RED SOX EASY.

New York, April 24—The New York Yankees opened the American League season here Wednesday with an easy victory from Boston by a score of 13 to 4. The champions made fifteen hits for thirty-one bases, Ruth leading with a home, a double and a single. The game was attended by Mayor Hylan, Commissioner Landis, and a military detachment from Governor's Island. The Yankees raised the American League pennant and Commissioner Landis presented each of the New York World's champions with diamond studded watches.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Boston	020 100 001—	4	9	2
New York	012 120 06x—	13	15	2

Ehmke, Fuhr, Howard and O'Neill; Pennock and Hengough.

INDIANS TRIM TIGERS.

Cleveland, April 24—Cleveland defeated Detroit 6 to 5 in a thrilling ten inning game opening the American League season here Wednesday. The Indians bunched four hits after two were out in the ninth, tying the score. Detroit took the lead again in the tenth on a double by Rigney and Bassler's single. Cleveland winning on singles by Stephenson ad Burns and Speaker's double.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Detroit	001 002 001 1—	5	12	0
Cleveland	100 000 102 2—	6	13	0

Cole, Pillette and Bassler; Uhle and L. Sewell.

ONE BIG INNING.

Philadelphia, April 24—The Philadelphia Americans opened their home season Wednesday with a 6 to 4 victory over Washington. The game was a pitchers' battle until the seventh, when Marberry weakened and the locals scored all six of their runs.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Washington	000 000 013—	4	9	3
Philadelphia	000 000 60x—	6	11	0

Speece, Marberry and Ruel, Hargrave; Heimbach, B. Harris, and Perkins.

DECATUR HIGH WINS FROM STONINGTON

The Decatur high school baseball team had a mania for scoring two runs in an inning Wednesday, getting that number in seven frames to defeat Stonington high, 14 to 6.

Lehn poled a home run for Decatur, while Johnson and Kelly slammed out triples. Score:

Stonington	100 113 000— 6
Decatur	022 223 23*—14

Chapman and Yoder; Nichols, Dorsey and Mitchell.

BRUINS WALLOP CARDS 12 TO 1

Braves and Phillies Stage Another Battle.

Chicago, April 24—Chicago inaugurated the National League season here Wednesday by defeating St. Louis 12 to 1. The Cubs were in a batting mood, driving out five doubles and a brace of homers. About 25,000 fans witnessed the game.

St. Louis—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Flack, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Deutsch, rf	1	0	0	0	0	0
Smith, cf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Hornsby, 2b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Bottomley, 1b	4	1	1	5	1	0
Freigau, 3b	4	0	2	2	0	0
Blades, lf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Lavan, ss	2	0	0	0	3	0
Bell, ss	1	0	0	0	0	0
Nick, c	4	0	1	7	0	0
Pfeffer, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
xToporcer	1	0	0	0	0	0
North, p	1	0	1	0	0	1
zzSherdel	1	0	0	0	0	0
Stuart, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	1	5	24	5	1

xBatted for Pfeffer in third.
zzBatted for North in eighth.

Chicago—	AB.	R.	H.	PO.	A.	E.
Statz, cf	5	3	4	3	1	0
Adams, ss	4	0	0	3	4	0
Grantham, 2b	3	4	3	3	0	0
Grimes, lf	3	2	3	6	1	1
Friberg, 3b	5	0	0	1	0	0
Miller, rf	4	1	0	1	0	0
Heathcote, rf	4	0	1	2	0	0
Hartnett, c	4	0	2	8	0	0
Keen, p	4	2	2	0	3	0
Totals	36	12	13	27	9	2

St. Louis	000 000 001— 1
Chicago	340 001 03x—12

Two-base hits—Statz, 2; Grimes, Heathcote, Keen, Bottomley.
Home runs—Grimes, Grantham.
Stolen bases—Smith, Statz, Grantham, 2, Grimes.
Double play—Keen to Adams to Grimes.
Bases on balls—Off Pfeffer 1, off North 4, off Keen 2.
Struck out—By Keen 8, by Pfeffer 1, by North 3.
Hits—Off Pfeffer, 8 in 2 innings; off North, 1 in 5 innings; off Stuart, 4 in 1 inning.
Losing pitcher—Pfeffer.
Umpires—Klem and Wilson.
Time—1:57.

FIFTEEN INNING GAME.

Boston, April 24—Singles by O'Neil, Stryker and Bancroft in the last of the fifteen with none out, scored the run which gave Boston a 3 to 2 victory over Philadelphia in the opening game of the National League season here Wednesday. Stryker pitched the last seven innings, held the visitors to two singles, no runs and made two hits himself. Before the game a wreath was placed at third base in memory of the late Norman "Tony" Boeckel and Mayor Curley gave a short memorial address. He pitched the first ball with Major General Clarence R. Edwards at bat and Lieutenant Governor Alvan T. Fuller catching.

Score—		R.	H.	E.
Philadelphia	000 200 000 000 000—	2	9	2
Boston	010 000 001 000 001—	3	12	0

Couch and Henline; McNamara, Stryker and O'Neill.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Detroit	5	2	.714
Philadelphia	4	2	.667
Chicago	4	3	.571
New York	4	4	.500
Boston	3	3	.500
Cleveland	3	3	.500
Washington	3	5	.375
St. Louis	2	6	.250

NATIONAL.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	5	1	.833
Cincinnati	5	2	.714
Chicago	5	4	.556
Brooklyn	3	3	.500
Pittsburgh	3	4	.429
Boston	2	3	.400
St. Louis	3	6	.333
Philadelphia	1	4	.200

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Club—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Indianapolis	7	1	.875
Kansas City	6	1	.857
Columbus	3	4	.429
Milwaukee	2	3	.400
Louisville	3	5	.375
Minneapolis	3	5	.375
St. Paul	3	5	.375
Toledo	1	4	.200

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

AMERICAN.

St. Louis, 9; Chicago, 5.
Philadelphia, 6; Washington, 4.
Cleveland, 6; Detroit, 5 (ten innings).
New York, 13; Boston, 4.

NATIONAL.

Chicago, 12; St. Louis, 1.
Boston, 3; Philadelphia, 2 (fifteen innings).
Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

St. Paul, 6; Toledo, 0.
Columbus, 12; Minneapolis, 4.
Indianapolis, 6; Milwaukee, 0.
Kansas City, 6; Louisville, 5 (ten innings).

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

Buffalo, 10; Jersey City, 2.
Newark, 8; Syracuse, 5.
Reading, 13; Toronto, 8.
Rochester, 15; Baltimore, 8.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.

Atlanta, 4; New Orleans, 1.
Birmingham, 3; Mobile, 1.
Nashville, 9; Memphis, 8.
Little Rock, 9; Chattanooga, 4.

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Fort Worth, 7; Dallas, 3.
Houston, 6; Beaumont, 2.
Shreveport, 7; Wichita Falls, 4.
Galveston, 3; San Antonio, 0.

PACIFIC COAST.

Vernon, 9; San Francisco, 2.
Portland, 2; Salt Lake City, 1.
Seattle, 9; Sacramento, 2.
Oakland, 6; Los Angeles, 5.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Wichita, 6; Des Moines, 1.
Tulsa, 21; Lincoln, 6.
Omaha, 10; Oklahoma City, 9.
St. Joseph, 4; Denver, 2.

GAMES TODAY.

AMERICAN.

Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Washington at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.

NATIONAL.

St. Louis at Chicago.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.
New York at Brooklyn.
Philadelphia at Boston.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Milwaukee at Indianapolis.
Kansas City at Louisville.
St. Paul at Toledo.
Minneapolis at Colombus.

TOTS' BOSS MUST CUT DOWN SQUAD

Several Positions in Doubt At This Time.

BY RALPH H. WHITE.

Terre Haute, Ind., April 24.—In less than a week Our Boys will open the Three-I league chase at Athletic park, stacking up against the champions of last season, Decatur.

In the few remaining days of the training season, Manager Roy Whitcraft has a man's size job on his hands. He has quite a few promising youngsters, and will move slowly in making his final weeding out.

Clanton, of course, will hold down first base. He's a "cat."

Two candidates are in the running for the second base position. Henninger, who has been biffing the apple and fielding nicely during the entire training period, and Morris, secured from New Orleans. Morris did not report until yesterday afternoon, but he is said to be quite a player. He was to be given a close "once over" in today's practice at the east end enclosure.

Nick Urban, naturally, is the choice at short, that is, if his ankle, busted last year, is o. k. He declares the member is causing him no trouble, and fans hope his assertion is true.

BOSS AT THIRD.

The boss himself will cavort at third, that is, should Urban deliver at short. Otherwise, Whitcraft will put himself at short and line up another infielder for the hot sack. Palish is a splendid prospect at third and if placed will carry a Terre Haute string with him.

Mizeur is a certainty in the outfield. The six footer, secured from the St. Louis Browns, can hit, field and run. Throw, too. He may be used in center, then again in left. Kirby, who has been bothered with a bad foot during training, is not in the best of shape, but he is a known slugger. Hart, grabbed off in the Hollocher deal with Danville, is a hard hitter, but no flash as a fly grabber. Mikes, Chicago semi-pro looks mighty good, both afield and at the plate. He is to be reckoned with. So is Polston, placed here by the Louisville A. A. club for that matter. He can sock the agate for sure.

Behind the bat will be "Mickey" O'Brien, landed from the Philadelphia Nationals, and "Topsy" Turner, sent here by the Indianapolis Indians. Both are class.

PITCHING STAFF PROBLEM.

The pitching problem has the skipper guessing. Of course, Lance Utt, star of last season's staff, should make the grade. So should "Lefty" Miller, also a Tot in 1923. "Lefty" Hier, with the Tots two years ago has worked hard this spring and should stick. Hyland, also a southpaw, is another good prospect, it is said. Hyland was given to the local by the St. Louis Americans. He reported last night. He was south with the Browns and is in good shape.

The other aspirants are in Whitcraft's hands and as yet he has not spoken.

The Three-I chase will be inaugurated Tuesday with the usual parade, first ball, etc.

ANOTHER LICKING FOR WRIGHT'S MEN

Big Eighth Inning Gives Kalamazoo 12 to 7 Win.

Danville, Ill., April 24—Four errors coupled with six hits in the seventh inning gave Kalamazoo eight runs and they won by a score of 12 to 7.

Wilkus hurled five innings for the locals allowing but two hits and no runs. Salisbury, former Moline hurler made his first appearance in the game and the ascension came in the seventh.

Score		R.	H.	E.
Kalamazoo	000 001 821—	12	11	1
Danville	022 100 110—	7	12	6

Batteries—Lievance, Sherman and Hipp; Pierce, Wilkus, Salisbury, Warren and Cady.

BOWLING

C. D. A. LEAGUE.

WOODPECKERS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Doyle	141	129	118	384	128
R. Reid	108	120	97	324	111
G. O'Neil	81	52	72	205	68
Tighe	92	77	110	279	93
Nolan	100	109	123	332	111
Total	522	492	520	1534	

STAY WITH EM.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Tretweiler	98	130	107	339	113
Powers	117	111	95	323	108
Freeman	100	90	123	313	104
Moore	79	82	104	265	88
Blind	90	90	90	270	90
Total	479	512	545	1536	

High score—Mrs. Freeman, 149; high average, Mrs. Doyle, 128.

BIRKS.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Birks	75	80	94	249	83
Brooks	119	87	94	300	100
N. Sneller	110	102	110	322	107
H. Sneller	72	86	75	233	78
Total	376	355	373	1104	

GRIBB.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Gribbin	89	84	75	248	83
Wood	104	181	101	386	132
Reynolds	75	98	94	267	89
Scholtz	99	86	115	300	100
Total	367	399	385	1151	

High score—Mrs. Wood, 151; high average, Mrs. Wood, 112.

KANT BEAT UM.

Player—	1st.	2nd.	3rd.	Tot.	Ave.
Allen	129	71	81	281	94
Scholz	156	104	98	358	111
Holland	119	100	112	340	113
Heinz	116	105	146	367	122
E. O'Heren	118	152	120	370	123
Total	648	521	552	1721	

High score—Miss Heinz, 146; high average, Miss Heinz, 122.

RICKARD MAY GET BALL PARK

Promoter Seeks Place for Open Air Fistic Battles.

BY FAIR PLAY.

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New York, April 24—On the quiet there is said to be an interesting campaign in progress in New York. It relates to the efforts of Tex Rickard to horn in on Jimmy Johnson's present monopoly of two ball parks on Manhattan Island.

Said ball parks are the Polo Grounds and the Yankee Stadium. These are the only available places at which immense crowds of fight fans can be collected and naturally the promoter who holds them has got a pretty valuable possession.

HAS FRIENDS.

But while Rickard may lack the real estate, he is not without political friends, and for that matter, some of the best fighting talent in the world is under his control. So it will be interesting to see whether or not eventually he will work himself into the metropolitan situation.

The great arena on Boyle's Thirty Acres in Jersey City which is available for Rickard is not such an asset as one might think. In the first place the structure needs a lot of money spent upon it to make it safe. Building inspectors would have to overlook a lot of defects just now were they to issue permits for a large crowd to assemble therein.

IS FIRE TRAP.

And no matter what is done to it, it can never be anything than a fire trap. The lumber is old and dry now and hence inflammable. What would happen were a fire to break out in this saucer with a crowd of from sixty to ninety thousand seated in it may be left to the imagination. Suffice to say that one of the great catastrophies of history would be written into the annals of the American prize ring.

COLLEGE BASEBALL.

Michigan, 1; Michigan Aggies, 0.
Albion, 2; Hillsdale, 0.
Columbia, 4; Yale, 3.
Dartmouth, 5; Cornell, 0.
Washington college, 7; Penn Military, 4.
Fordham, 0; Pennsylvania, 5.
Princeton, 23; Haverford, 4.
Navy, 1; Penn State, 0.
Harvard, 11; Bates, 8; (7½ innings, darkness).
Oglethorp, 5; Wofford, 2.
Northwestern, 2; Chicago, 1.
Norte Dame, 10; Western State Normal, 1.
Misalssippi college, 5; Loyola, 3.
Georgia, 23; Maryland, 3.
Hope College, 4; Kalamazoo, 1.

PREAKNESS HAS CLASSY ENTRIES

Wise Counsellor Favorite for This Event.

The Preakness Stake at Pimlico, with $50,000 added, will be run Monday, May 12, and this year it is a weight-for-age affair, instead of a handicap. The Preakness attracts practically the same nominees as the Kentucky Derby, except that geldings are not eligible for the preakness, but are allowed to compete in the Kentucky classic.

For this reason Sarazen cannot start in the Maryland event, but will no doubt go to the post for the Kentucky Derby, in which he is the second choice in future betting at 6 to 1.

Wise Counsellor, first choice for the Derby, is also in the honor place for the Preakness. In the latter race he is quoted at 4 to 1 and the second choice is St. James, winner of the Futurity of last year, and quoted at 5 to 1 for the Preakness.

LONG SHOTS.

Among the Preakness long shots mentioned below are several that are highly regarded for the Derby. Among these is Battle Creek, sold not long ago to W. R. Coe for more than $40,000, and Polo Ground, a colt that is said to be the main dependence of the Madden outfit.

Last year the Preakness was won by Vigil. When the "flash" reached Churchill Downs Maj. A. B. Hancock and W. Perkins, the well-known negro trainer, held a lodge of sorrow in the paddock. Perkins once owned Vignola, dam of Vigil. He sold her to Maj. Hancock and he sold the Preakness winner as a yearling.

CURRENT ODDS.

Horse—	Win.	Place.	Show.
Wise Counsellor	4	2	1
St. James	5	2	1
Mad Play	6	3	2-3
Senator Norris	8	4	2
Mr. Mutt	20	10	5
Ladkin	20	10	5
Bean Butler	20	10	5
Stanwix	20	10	5
Worthmore	30	12	6
Sunayr	30	12	6
Nellie Morse	30	12	6
Ordrance	50	25	12
Battle Creek	50	25	12
Nautical	50	25	12
H. T. Waters	50	25	12
Diogenes	50	25	12
Bracadio	50	25	12
Transmute	50	25	12
Happy Thoughts	50	25	12
Wiskington	50	25	12
Thorndale	60	30	15
Sunfleg	60	30	15
Dr. O'Mara	60	30	15
Big Blaze	60	30	15
Bob Tail	60	30	15
Sirko	60	30	15
Modest	60	30	15
Polo Ground	60	30	15
Figurama	60	30	15
Gonfalon	60	30	15
Klondyke	60	30	15
Initiate	60	30	15

Pat Moran Built Up Good Hurling Staff

Figured Fine Hurling Would Offset Slowness of the Reds on the Bases.

BY JOHN B. FOSTER.

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New York, April 24.—Cincinnati's pitching staff, so far, has every appearance of being just what the late Pat Moran dreamed of—a steel framed, nickel plated defense for a team that is a little slow on its feet. Moran's idea was to build up a pitching staff that could hold the games close, because his players were not zippy enough on the bases to get that little one run which so often separates defeat and victory.

To date the Cincinnati pitchers have been averaging about 6-½ hits per game. Too bad Moran is not living to see his hurlers go to it. Of course it is a long time from now until the end of the season, and clubs may turn topsy turvy before October 1, but right now it looks as though Cincinnati had the ideal pitching staff of which he dreamed.

BENTON LEADS THEM.

Greatest of them all in many ways seems to be Benton. The Reds looked mighty well at Orlando this Spring. He was a little stout, but it became him. He was never fast on his feet and so a trifle more stoutness would not slow him up, while the added weight would give more zing to his fast one. Benton always had speed. If he had more now he will be a winner for the Reds, and a Spring winner is what the Western men need.

Next to Benton, so far, Donohue looks best of the Cincinnati staff. There is a feeling that Mays is not going to be a comet in the National League sky. Even Cincinnati folks are dubious when they discuss his chances. He didn't show much at Orlando, but still it's a little early to judge. His old propelling swing from below his knee is still there and his control is good. And while he hasn't shown much speed, that may be due to conservation of energy. Mays has been going a long time and his motto is "Don't Worry Any Fat Off The Soup Bone."

BRAVES TOUGH LUCK.

The Boston Nationals have run into a queer break. They have been outbatting their rivals and yet can't win. A timely hit comes along for the opposing team and Boston has to drink the dregs. It's that kind of luck that takes the starch out of good ball players. If Bancroft can keep his players moving under such conditions he will be a manager worth keeping.

There always was more managerial ability in Bancroft than most people knew about. The year that he joined the Phillies and made that outfit so tight that it helped carry Philly to its first championship, Bancroft was doing a lot toward directing the field plays, and Pat Moran was wise enough to let him do it.

There's a lot of good about the Boston club, and when its home end settled, it is likely to keep the visitors guessing and win a lot of ball games. The Braves can stand some outfield help. They need a slugger. Any slugger out of work should apply.

Racing Notes.

Wise Counsellor will be shipped Saturday from Churchill Downs to Maryland, where he will be given the final touches of his preparation for the Preakness to be run May 12. With him will go Worthmore, also a Preakness eligible.

Bob Gilmore is preparing in Memoriam for the Clark handicap, to be run the opening day of the Louisville meeting with $10,000 added. Zev's rival of last year is in wonderful form and, like all the McGees, is getting better as he grows older. Zev is also eligible for the Clark handicap, and if he starts the race will rival the derby in popular interest.

C. Bruce Head of Chicago has a high opinion of his derby candidate, Altawood, and will send him from Louisville to Lexington to run in the Blue Grass stake, an event for 3-year-old that is regarded as a tryout for the derby. Altawood is in charge of G. H. Keene.

Saramore won the second race at Harve de Grace Wednesday at odds of $56.90 for $2, and carried a number of commissions placed by followers of the race who recalled that this richly bred son of Uncle Lydia II., by Luke Blackburn, has a habit of coming to life at intervals and winning at a long price.

Lexington's meeting will begin Saturday, and several of the stables now quartered at Churchill Downs have been shipped for the initial meeting of the Kentucky season. Among these is the stable of Moses Goldblatt. Ivan Park will ride the Goldblatt and Whitney horses at Lexington.

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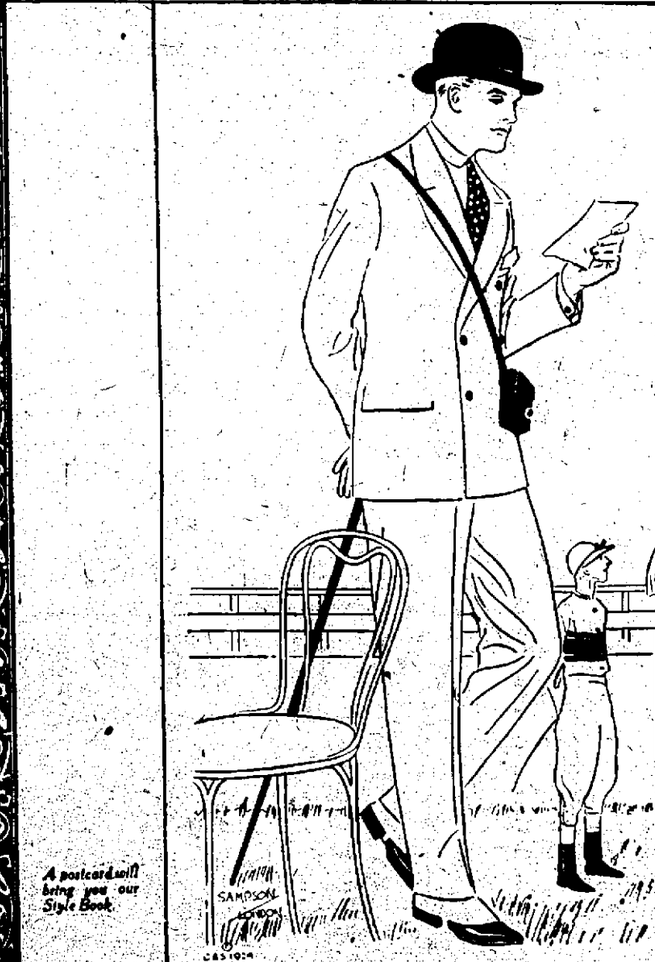

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BAIT — FOR — BUGS

By H. V. Millard

Don't forget that those fans who have purchased baseball show tickets from the various solicitors must reserve them at the Lincoln Square. This is necessary for two reasons. First, to gain admission to the play house and second in order to have a chance on winning that season ticket for all games at Staley Field.

Manager Harold Irelan will put his Commies through the final exhibition game series this week end, the Kalamazoo club opening a three game series at Staley Field Friday. The contests are scheduled to start at 2:30.

The announcement that Jim Duckinsky has been added to the Commie staff will be hailed with delight by the great number of Decatur fans. The "Duke" hurled some mighty fine ball here last season. One of his defeats was a three hit game he pitched against the Commies.

Local officials are still burning up the wires for the outfielder who appears to be a much needed man in the Commie camp and some good news is likely to break forth at any time on the candidate.

Some of the boys over at Bell's are worrying about that one outfield post. Unloosen the rubber band boys. It is too early in the season to start choking.

There is a far more important matter up to the fans at this time than an outfielder granting he is necessary. It is the way the fans turn out tonight and tomorrow night for the baseball show, "Heads or Tails."

Danville fans supported a horrible ball club for two straight seasons and are over there closing all the stores for the opening day game. The Decatur Baseball Fans' association are asking their supporters to get back of your ball club by attending the show on one of these two nights.

The Commies do not belong to anyone but you. You made it possible to have a team here the last two years and to provide the city with its first Three Eye pennant winner. No one is expected to furnish the crowd at the Lincoln Square tonight and tomorrow night but you.

Manager Harold Irelan is a newcomer to Decatur and his league. Many of the Commie players are strangers in the city. Decatur enjoys a great reputation among professional ball players for the manner in which you support your team. Unless you appoint yourself a committee of one to purchase a ticket to "Heads or Tails" a great opportunity will be passed up to help Irelan and Wylie keep right up in that race.

Frank Liston is to open his umpiring season at Joplin, Mo., and has Al Anderson for a partner. They are in the Missouri city for eight days before changing scenes.

Eddie Jacquin says he would like to have Brant and McCallister working around the keystone sack for Peoria. You are not the only scribe in the circuit who would like to see the Commie pair on the "Old Home Town" nine.

Everett Muirhead won the 14.1 title in the St. Nicholas tourney by defeating Don Tozer 200 to 167. Tozer came back and ran 126 to Muirhead's 100 Wednesday night but his foe's lead of 100 to 31 established in the first block was too much. Besides the 126 he counted he lost 20 on scratches. Tozer ran 23 while Muirhead's best was eight.

Joe Discenzo, the former Toluca high flash, is now running for the I. A. C. of Chicago, and is to appear at Lombard Saturday in an exhibition 100 yard dash with Ever Swanson, the Lombard flash. Jole Ray, Osborne and other stars are to give exhibitions there along with the Lombard interscholastic meet.

Bob Ryf of Washington, Ill., has been elected captain of the 1925 Eureka college basketball team. He played center and guard on the championship team and should make a good leader for McKenzie's team. He wears a mask to protect his glasses.

ASSUMPTION RULED OUT OF I. S. H. A. A.

Pana, Ill., April 24— According to a communication received from Chicago, the Assumption high school has been suspended from the Illinois High School association by the board of control of the organization for violation of the bylaws on eight semester members and playing nonresident pupils.

The case was brought before the board of control by G. E. Lowry, principal of the Stonington high school.

This means that Assumption will not be allowed to take part in the Christian county track meet, to be held in Taylorville on May 2. Assumption, which won the meet last year, has been looked upon as one of the strongest contenders for first place again this year.

The field is now clear for Taylorville, Stonington, Morrisonville and Pana.

SHELBY COUNTY MEET HAS BEEN POSTPONED

Shelbyville, April 24—County Superintendent of Schools O. O. Barker on Monday sent out notices to all schools of the county that the fourth annual Shelby county athletic meet would be held on the track at Forest Park on Saturday, May 24. It had been the plan to hold the meet on Saturday, May 3, but severe epidemics of mumps had attacked athletes in a number of schools and the meet was postponed. The late date was selected because a number of the teams will enter the Charleston and the University of Illinois interscholastics on May 10 and 17 respectively.

Havolines In Field.

Lawrenceville, Ill., April 24—Mordecai Brown will have his Havolines in the field again this season. The club will be operated by the Wigwam, a social organization of the Indian Refining company employes. They will play Saturday and Sunday ball.

'PASH' WARNER 82 YEARS OLD

Honored Clintonian Erect of Carriage, Bears Self Well.

Clinton, April 24.—Hon. Vespasian Warner, one of Clinton's notables, observed his eighty-second birthday anniversary Wednesday, April 23. No elaborate ceremonies were held, however, due to Mr. Warner's home being torn up at the present time while an electric elevator is being installed between the first and second floors.

V. WARNER.

Col. Warner was born in Farmer City, then known as Mt. Pleasant, April 23, 1842, and was educated in the country schools, afterwards attending Lombard college at Galesburg. At the age of nineteen he enlisted as a private in the first company organized here and served until the close of the war, being promoted to second lieutenant in 1862 and later to captain and at the close of the war was brevetted a major, resigning from the army in 1866. For twelve years he served as colonel and Judge Advocate General of the Illinois National Guard and for a number of years filled the office of commissioner of pensions, with office at Washington, D. C.

Col. Warner bears his eighty-two years well and is erect in carriage and far more hearty than one could imagine, taking age into consideration.

COMPLETE INSPECTION.

Inspection of the Springfield division of the IllIolCestnadTHMTH vision of the Illinois Central by the staff officers was completed Wednesday, when their special train finished up on the Rantoul district. The inspection covered a period of ten days, during which all branch lines as well as the two main districts were gone over.

ODD FELLOWS ANNIVERSARY.

On Tuesday, April 29, the Odd Fellows will observe in Clinton the 105th anniversary of the founding of the order, the celebration held here to include members of the order in this district. The business session is to be held in the afternoon at 2 o'clock, ceremonies to be in charge of President Elmer Clemons.

Following is the program:

Opening—Olive lodge No. 98.
Reception of Grand Officers.
Conferring of first degree—Kenney lodge No. 557.
Good of the Order.
Closing lodge.
Banquet, 6 to 7 p. m., First Christian church.

ANNIVERSARY PROGRAM 7:30.

Selections 1 and 2—Kenny lodge 557.
Elks' Male quartet.
Address—H. H. House, deputy grand master.
Selection—Orchestra.
Duet—Mrs. Joe Reeser, W. G. Hunt.
Address—Mrs. Fern Webster, vice president of Rebekahs.
Selection—Ladies' Quartet, Farmer City Rebekahs.
Solo—Alvin Trownbridge.
Refreshments.

COMMITTEES.

General—Roy Johnson, S. E. Newell, Mrs. Elmer Clemons, J. H. McKinney, Mrs. Dora Savely, Mrs. Charles Baker.

Banquet—Mrs. Maud Shumaker, Mrs. J. H. McKinney, Sarah Smallwood.

Reception—Mrs. Nelle Sprague, Mrs. Mable Clark, Margaret Wood, W. H. Harp, S. L. Dunbar, Harry Rees.

TO SPEAK AT WAYNESVILLE.

Dr. R. E. Nesbit, veterinarian, Dr. C. S. Bogardus and Farm Adviser O. M. Allyn will go to Waynesville Thursday night to speak at a meeting to be held there in the interest of farmers and cattle raisers who are co-operating with the county, state and national efforts to exterminate bovine tuberculosis.

The meeting will be in charge of Frank Stewart of Kenney who is assisting in this movement, acting as chairman of the county committee. Dr. L. H. Morin of Waynesville also will be one of the speakers.

Later meetings are to be held in various parts of the county in order that all farmers may have the privilege of attending and giving any helpful suggestions they may have to offer.

MOTHER - DAUGHTER BANQUET.

For the purpose of renewing the interest of the mothers in the Parent-Teachers association work in the city, a banquet for mothers and daughters of the Lincoln school is to be held Thursday evening at the First Christian church.

Mrs. Roy H. Johnson is to be toastmistress of the affair; Mrs. M. E. Stewart, president of the Parent-Teachers association of the Lincoln school, will give an address on "Its Great to Be a Mother"; Miss Elizabeth Rundle will respond with "Its Great to Be a Daughter"; Mrs. W. S. Harrold will speak on "Our Homes—Its Great to Work Together."

Lois and Ruth Hall will favor with a piano duet and Virginia Baker will read. Mrs. Joe Reeser will sing a solo and Grace Williams will render a violin solo.

SPORT BRIEFS

Venice, Cal.—Sam aLngford, negro heavyweight, nearly blind, lost the decision in four rounds with Eddie Tremly, Bangor, Maine.

Los Angeles—Frank Chance, pilot of the Chicago Americans returned home and will go to Palm Springs to spend several months.

Boston—Jock Malone, St. Paul, was given the judges decision at the end of ten rounds with Augie Ratner, New York.

Cleveland—Pancho Villa, fly-weight champion and Eddie McKenna, New Orleans, boxed a 10 round draw.

The Women Bowlers.

Indianapolis, April 24—Bowlers from Rockford and Chicago took the alleys today in the women's national bowling tournament.

Mrs. Jean Knoppersth, Milwaukee, was elected president of the Women's National Bowling association and Cleveland selected as next years tournament city.

OLD RIVALS WILL MEET ON GRIDIRON

Millikin-Wesleyan Contest Is Scheduled.

Millikin and Wesleyan will play football this coming season. Athletic Director Rollie Williams has signed contracts for the annual struggle, which will be staged in the Evergreen City on Oct. 18.

There is no condition attached to the game, Wesleyan to play with the I. I. A. C. rules which do not bar freshmen and Millikin using whatever rules are imposed by the local school heads.

Followers of both schools in this section of the state, as well as alumni and present-day students, will be pleased with the anouncement. The two old rivals have staged many great games on the gridiron, with only one year going by without a contest.

In order to meet Wesleyan Athletic Director Williams will have to change his date with St. Viator College, which was originally listed for Oct. 18.

BASEBALL FRIDAY.

Coach Williams will take his baseball team to Bourbonnais tomorrow morning at 6 o'clock, where they will meet the strong St. Viator college nine in the afternoon.

St. Viator is always listed among the strongest college teams in the middle west and, according to reports from Father Kelly's camp, they are out after another I. I. A. C. title.

While the baseball team is away Coach Gus Webber of the track team will look over his men in their final drill before shoving off for Jacksonville Saturday to meet Illinois college. From the score of the Illinois-Shurtleff meet last week the Harmon team is a formidable one, having tallied over 100 points.

Has Right of Way.

New York, April 24.—The 12-round bout at Madison Square Garden, May 9 between Quintin Romero, Chilean heavy-weight, and Floyd Johnson, Iowa heavy-weight, for which articles were signed yesterday, will not be cancelled to permit Luis Firpo to get first chance at the Chilean, Tex Rickard declared today.

REED FUNERAL AT VANDALIA

Vandalia, April 24—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carmack, of Decatur; Reed Carmack, of Chicago and Mrs. Jack Kendall, of Poplar Bluff, Mo., were here Wednesday for the funeral of their brother and uncle, Wm. Reed.

Mrs. Alex. Walker, Mrs. W. Lash, Mrs. Chas. Deverick and Mrs. G. F. Mears were in Pana Wednesday to see Mr. Walker and Mrs. Verne Deverick, who are patients in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. McClelland, of Champaign, Mr. and Mrs. John Turley of Centralia, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, of Delphas, Ohio, were here Tuesday in attendance at the funeral of their mother, Mrs. A. R. Miller.

One of the oldest landmarks of this city is being torn down, the building, one story frame owned by Mrs. Fred Frier, Sr., and used by Mr. Frier for years as a barber shop. The Friers probably will erect a substantial brick.

Mrs. Wm. Albert is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Wm. Runyon, in Terre Haute.

Mrs. Frank Greer and little son were guests of relatives in Pana Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Dieckmann and little daughter, of Benoin Harbor, Mich., are visiting at the home of his father, G. E. Dieckmann.

Mrs. Bert Evans went to Decatur Wednesday to spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Ralston Snook, and family.

Mrs. Kate Bingaman returned Tuesday to Decatur after a visit with relatives and friends here.

Mrs. Nelson Lawler and children, who went to Akron, Ohio, a month ago, returned here Tuesday.

FAMILY REUNION AT MECHANICSBURG

Mechanicsburg, April 24—A number of relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Mooney Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Auls, Mrs. William Sprinkle of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Greimie and son Russel of Custer, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Grubb and son, Marshall of Pana, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Alexander of Virden, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Sample, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Mendenhall, son Delbert Eugene, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Worley, Earl Mendenhall, Glenn and Ford Mooney, Ruth Mendenhall, Mary Dobson and Alice Mooney.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank North had as guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. George Erwin and sons Harry and Frank of Pleasant Plains, Mr. and Mrs. Orign Ross and daughters, Mary Frances and Priscilla, of Edinburgh, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frederick and daughter Elizabeth of Niantic, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Byers, Mrs. Dora Overstreet of Springfield, Mr. and Mrs. Russell North of the place.

Miss Pauline Guernsey of Buffalo spent Sunday with her parents.

Mrs. Minnie Short and Beulah Lobdill spent Sunday with William Holmes and family.

Truman Fullenwider was a Springfield caller Saturday.

Mrs. G. R. Ross, Mrs. Luther Semple and daughter Genevia and Frank Hall spent the week-end with Mrs. Helen Spengler at Shelbyville.

Miss Verna Coe was a Springfield visitor Monday.

A number from here attended the missionary convention at Glenn Olive Tuesday.

ELZIE TRUEBLOOD IS LAID TO REST

Stewardson, April 24.—Elzie Trueblood, living two miles east of Stewardson, died Friday morning from pneumonia fever, following an attack of the flu. Mr. Trueblood had been sick two weeks. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon in the Lutheran church in this city. Rev. L. T. Spitz conducted the services. The remains were laid to rest in the Stewardson cemetery.

Mr. Trueblood was a World war veteran, doing duty overseas. Six soldier boys of the World war, in full uniform, acted as pallbearers.

Mr. Trueblood was born in Indiana in 1892 and later moved with his parents to this state and settled near Stewardson. In 1919 he was united in marriage to Miss Clara Zalman, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zalman of this place. He was a devout member of the Lutheran church in which faith he remained to the end. He leaves a father, mother, one brother and one sister and a host of friends.

Harley Gardner and wife of Clinton visited friends here over Sunday.

Mrs. William Bugenhagen is reported very seriously ill. She has called her children to her bedside.

Ed. Ruff, and family of Fancher visited relatives in Stewardson Saturday.

Von Storm, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Storm, who had been working in an automobile factory in Detroit, Mich., returned home and is very sick with the grip.

Mrs. Beldon Curry and children of Mattoon are visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Powell.

Mrs. Charles Donaldson and children of Greenville, Ill., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Donaldson and family.

J. E. Weber, of Strasburg, transacted business here Monday.

BRIEF MENTION OF OCONEE PEOPLE

Oconee, April 23— An Easter program was given Sunday evening at the Methodist church by the Sunday school.

The seventh and eighth grades from Pana west school will give a home talent play Thursday evening in the town hall.

The O. G. T. C. gave an Easter dance Monday night in Reed's hall, which was largely attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Nichols of Assumption spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks here.

Miss Beatrice Presnell and her cousin, Clara from Pana, spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Thressa Hutchens.

Lyle McCalleb, who is attending the State University at Champaign, is spending a few days with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Christner of Chicago spent Saturday and Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Bertha Christner.

Billie Huffacher, of Indianapolis has been visiting home folks the last few days.

Everett Morrison of Assumption spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Bazel Williams of Ramsey spent Sunday with home folks.

Claud Nichols of Ohio spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Nichols.

UNITED ON THE WESTERN SLOPE

Mrs. De Mars, 77, and Emil Lozers, 69, Wed.

Assumption, April 24—Mrs. Virginia DeMars and Emil Losero were married at the St. Mary's church Tuesday evening at 5:30 by Rev. Fr. Higgins.

Mrs. Losero is seventy-seven years old and has lived in Assumption the greater part of her life. Mr. Losero is sixty-nine. While a former resident, he has been away for several years, returning the first of winter.

They will live in Assumption. They were given an old fashioned charivari Tuesday night.

Rolland Lambert is serving on the petit jury at Taylorville this week.

Reva Ryan of Taylorville visited her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Adlehart spent Tuesday in Decatur.

Ollie Longsworth of Chicago returned to his home after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Galvin.

Mrs. O. L. Cross is visiting relatives in Decatur.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Seibert visited the latter's sister in Macon Monday.

Harold Bugg returned to Chicago Wednesday evening after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Bugg.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moreton visited Rev. and Mrs. Markland in Auburn Sunday.

Mrs. R. L. Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Adlehart were Decatur visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Garrett and son Carl spent Monday in Pana.

ENTERTAINS CLUB.

Mrs. Glenn Lovering was hostess to the Dixie Sewing club Tuesday evening. The usual social time was enjoyed.

Miss Bertie Collins has accepted a position in Decatur.

Miss Mabel Haverfield returned to Millikin after spending vacation with her parents.

Miss Nora Liston is visiting her mother, Mrs. Liston and sister, Mrs. R. H. Lambert.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Stump and daughter of Decatur visited the latter's parents, the first of the week.

TO CELEBRATE AGAIN.

Saturday, April 26, being the ninetieth birthday of Martha Johnson, the members of the Memorial Presbyterian church with several of her friends will hold a basket dinner in the church basement, in her honor. It is asked that those who would like to attend the dinner, and are not reached by some of the church ladies to come with their basket and enjoy the day with "Aunt Mattie."

Mrs. Lola Black of Indianapolis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bunch.

FLEMING FUNERAL IS HELD IN MACON

Macon, April 24 —The remains of Mrs. Ida Isabelle Fleming who died at her home in Decatur were brought to Macon for burial Tuesday morning at 11 o'clock.

The funeral services were held in Decatur.

She was the mother of Tom Adcock, who lives east of Macon.

Margaret Duggan of Decatur spent the week-end with her aunt, Mrs. James Wells.

Mrs. Frances Willard will have a sale of household goods at the residence of the late Mrs. John Morris on Wall street Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Charles Smull is at the Decatur and Macon county hospital, where he underwent an operation on the nose Monday morning.

Miss Mopina Newman is spending the week with relatives in Newman, Ill.

Miss Elma and Mildred Nicker attended a family reunion at Kincaid Sunday.

Harry Scribner returned to Decatur Saturday after visiting at the home of his sister, Mrs. J. I. Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Collins spent Easter with relatives in Peoria, Ill.

Miss Margaret Shirey returned to her home in Lovington, Ill., after visiting for several days with her grandmother, Mrs. Martha Draper.

W. P. Davidson of Decatur was a Macon visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. L. Root of Assumption spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Lancaster.

Misses Elsie and Elizabeth Anderson, Messrs. William Moses and Paul Dean were Decatur visitors Saturday.

Mrs. William Schyler and son, Jr., Mrs. Walker Byard, Misses Elsie and Elizabeth Anderson were Decatur visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith and son Jr., spent Easter at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Smith.

Miss Gladys Madden, who is attending school at Normal, spent Easter at her home here.

Bob Locke of Decatur was a Macon visitor Tuesday.

Miss Gail Rankins is ill with the mumps.

A large crowd attended the cantata given Sunday evening by the choir of the Methodist and Presbyterian churches.

MISSIONARY TEA GIVEN AT MACON

Macon, April 24—A Missionary tea was given at the home of Mrs. M. N. Bridgewater Wednesday afternoon. The hostess were Mrs. Charles Bromley, Mrs. Fred Tonson, Mrs. George Lowe and Mrs. M. N. Bridgewater.

There was a large attendance and a very interesting program. Each member took their mite boxes also an admission of 10 cents was charged.

Born, April 22, to Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Tomlinson a daughter.

H. A. Montgomery of Decatur was a Macon visitor Wednesday.

Charles Smull, who underwent an operation at the Decatur and Macon County hospital Monday, is reported getting long as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Earl Jackson of Moweaqua has moved into the McGee property which she purchased recently.

Mrs. Warren Browning of Decatur was a Macon visitor Tuesday.

The members of the Epworth League of Mt. Zion gave the play "Bashful Mr. Bobb's, a farce comedy, at the K. of P. Hall Wednesday evening.

GAVE CANTATA.

The Cantata "He is Risen" was presented to a packed house at the Methodist Episcopl church Sunday night.

The April "Church Night" is postponed from Thursday of this week to next week Tuesday April 29 with supper served at 7 p. m. by the Ladies Aid and an address at 8 p. m. by Rev. R. E. Henry, pastor of the First Christian church of Decatur.

Those who didn't get in on the "Egg Roll" last Sunday may bring eggs to Sunday School next Sunday. One crate has been sent to Chaddock Boys School, Quincy, and we would like to have another for the Cunningham Orphanage or Wesley Memorial Hospital.

Rev. H. C. Gibbs of Decatur will preach here at 10:30 a. m. next Sunday.

GROUP MEETING.

A "Group Meeting" of the W. F. M. S. of the Decatur district will be held at the Macon Methodist Episcopal church Thursday, May 1, with morning and afternoon programs and a noon luncheon. Delegates from Boody Elwin, Moweaqua and Assumption are expected.

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SAILORS DRIFT 18 DAYS; 7 PERSONS

Manila, April 24—(AP)—After drifting for eighteen days in the open sea in a small boat after their fishing vessel had sunk, three Japanese, the only survivors of a crew of ten, have landed on the coast of Tuagalnan province, Luzon, according to word received here Wednesday.

NEGRO FALLS EIGHT STORIES; WILL LIVE

Raleigh, N. C., April 24.—James Shepherd, a negro, was expected Wednesday night to live after falling to the ground from the eighth story of a building under construction here. A preliminary examination disclosed that no bones were broken.

CITY ADVERTISING

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City as follows, to-wit:

The improvement of the roadway by resurfacing of the old brick pavement of East and West Eldorado Street from the west line of North Broadway Street, west to the center line of North Church Street for the full width of 50 feet between curbs, and West Eldorado Street from the center line of North Church Street west to the east line of Van Dyke Street for the full width of 50 feet between curbs; excepting that portion of East Eldorado Street occupied by the intersections of North Franklin, North Water and North Main Streets with East Eldorado Street; and including that portion of East and West Eldorado Streets at intersections of the remaining streets and alleys from the curb lines to the lot lines of said East and West Eldorado Street for the full width between curbs of the existing pavements on said intersecting streets and alleys; by relaying portions of old brick pavement and placing on the old brick pavement an asphaltic binder 1½ inches in thickness with a wearing surface consisting of sheet asphalt 1½ inches in thickness; by installing the necessary concrete curbing; by the necessary relaying of brick pavement at street intersections and along gutters; the necessary removal of old sidewalks, and laying of standard concrete sidewalks, the necessary grading of parkings, the necessary catch-basins, manholes and tile drains for the adequate drainage to the existing sewers, the necessary concrete slabs over trenches and depressions, all complete in place.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage, said special tax being payable in ten (10) installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 10th day of May A. D. 1924 at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A. M. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 24th day of April, A. D. 1924.

CHARLES T. KEILLAM, Commissioner.

LEE ROLAND, Corporation Counsel.

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SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City, as follows, to-wit:

The improvement of the roadway of Cottage Hill Avenue from a point 20 feet east of the west line of South Oakland Avenue, west 640 feet, to the west line of Block 3, Simpson's 2nd Addition to the City of Decatur, Illinois, for the full width of 20 feet between curbs, by excavating, grading and preparing subgrade, by placing thereon a 5 inch Portland cement concrete foundation of 1 part Portland cement, 3 parts sand and 6 parts stone or gravel; by placing thereon a 1½ inch asphaltic binder and thereon a 1½ inch wearing surface of sheet asphalt, by installing necessary combination curb and gutter, by removal of a portion of present curb and pavement of Oakland Avenue, by the necessary removal and relaying of sidewalks, the relocating of present catch basin at Oakland Avenue, and necessary grading of parkings.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's Office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearings thereon will be had on the 5th day of May A. D. 1924 at the hour of 9:00 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 21st day of April, A. D. 1924.

CHARLES T. KEILLAM, Commissioner.

LEE ROLAND, Corporation Counsel.

CITY ADVERTISING

SPECIAL TAX NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given all persons interested that the Council of the City of Decatur, Illinois, has ordered a local improvement to be made in said City as follows, to-wit:

The improvement of the roadway of Haworth Avenue from the south line of Forrest Avenue, to the north line of Tuttle Street, and Tuttle Street from the east line of Haworth Avenue to the east line of Oakland Avenue, both for the full width of 20 feet between curbs, and including those portions of Haworth Avenue and Tuttle Street, from the curb lines to the lot lines thereof, for the full width between curbs of 20 feet at all intersecting streets, and for the full width of 12 feet between curbs at the first alley north of Tuttle Street running east from Haworth Avenue and 16 feet between curbs at all other intersecting alleys, by excavating, grading and preparing subgrade, by placing thereon a 5 inch Portland cement concrete foundation of 1 part Portland cement, 3 parts sand and 6 parts stone or gravel; by placing thereon an asphaltic binder 1½ inches in thickness with a wearing surface of sheet asphalt 1½ inches in thickness; by installing the necessary combination curb and gutter, catch-basins and tile drains, necessary removal and laying of sidewalks at intersecting streets; and the necessary grading of all parkings, etc.

All as per plan, specifications, profile and ordinance on file in the City Clerk's Office of said City and has applied to the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, for a special tax to pay the cost of said improvement according to frontage; said special tax being payable in ten installments and bearing interest at the rate of six (6%) per cent per annum, and a special tax roll therefor having been made and returned to said court, the final hearing thereon will be had on the 5th day of May A. D. 1924 at the hour of 9:00 o'clock A. M. or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit. All persons desiring may file objections in said court before said day and may appear on the hearing and make their defense.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, this 21st day of April, A. D. 1924.

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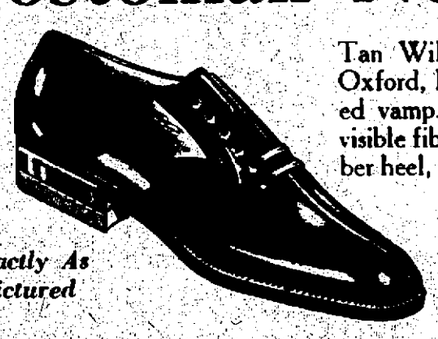
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THE WRONG DESCRIPTION.

By Taylor

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6. NTL
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Yesterday's answer:

The message reads as follows:

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Church Calendar

FRIDAY.

The Junior Walther League of St. Johannes' Lutheran church will have an entertainment in the school hall Friday night.

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The missionary department of the Ladies' society of the Congregational church will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon. Mrs. John Aubert will have the lesson on "Education in a Democracy." The women are asked to bring their mite boxes as this is Thank Offering day.

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The young people's department of the First Methodist church will have a banquet at 6:15 Friday evening. Rev. Arthur R. Crummon of Lincoln will be the speaker. Boy Scouts, Troops two and fourteen, will meet at 7:15 Friday evening.

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The Epworth League of St. Paul's Methodist church will have a social in the church Friday evening.

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Mrs. Barnes' Sunday school class of the First United Brethren church will have a meeting at the home of Mrs. Shaffer, 1530 North Edward, Friday afternoon at 2:30.

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The Ladies' Aid society of the First Presbyterian church will meet in the church at 2:30 Friday afternoon. Devotions will be led by Mrs. L. A. Moore. An important business session will be held. Instead of the regular program the women will enjoy a social hour and each one is asked to bring her sewing. Miss Melba Gengerke will give a group of piano numbers. Hostesses are Mrs. H. Dwight Spence and Mrs. E. F. Dudley.

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The choir of the Third United Brethren church will rehearse Friday evening.

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The third ward Ladies' Aid of the First Christian church will meet all day Friday at the church. The Men's club will have the regular monthly dinner and meeting at 7 o'clock Friday evening.

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Prayer band of the Church of the Brethren will meet Friday evening.

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The young women of Mrs. Rich's Sunday school class of the First Baptist church will be hostesses to their mothers at supper Friday evening at 6 o'clock in the church.

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The choir of the Riverside Baptist church will practice Friday evening at 7:30 in the church.

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The Wolf Cubs of the Westminster church will meet Friday evening at 6:30 in the church.

The choir of the Westminster church will rehearse Friday evening at 7:30 in the university.

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The O. G. Girls of the Second United Brethren church will meet Friday night in the church.

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The Cradle Roll Mothers of the East Park Baptist church will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30 in the Pines.

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The General Ladies' Aid of Grace Methodist church will meet at 2:30 Friday afternoon.

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ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

by Olive Roberts Barton

The Twins Visit Hansel and Gretel.

So the three travelers parked their car.

"Let's go to see Hansel and Gretel," said Mister Muggs. "Oh, yes, let's," cried Nancy and Nick. "Do you suppose they will be living in a house of cake and bread, with sugar windows?"

"Well, I should think not!" remarked the fairyman. "After the mean way the old lady in the woods treated them when they were lost! She built herself a cake house just to get them to come that way. And when they got there she was horrid to them. But the best way to find out all about it is to go and see. I'm sure Hansel and Gretel will be ever so glad to see a little boy and girl like themselves."

So they all got into the nice little car and rode and rode and rode past seven times seven duck ponds and seven times seven barnyards, and came at last to a beautiful house.

And over the door it said, "Hansel and Gretel's House. Welcome!"

So the three travelers parked their car under an apple tree and went up the steps and tapped on the front door.

It flew open at once and out rushed the children.

"Oh, we are so glad to see you!" cried Hansel and Gretel. "Now we can play."

Just then a maid in a stiff starched cap and stiff starched apron and stiff starched everything, came out and said, "Miss Gretel, you cannot play now. You must practice your music lesson and then do your sums, and then go for a walk in the park, and then take your riding lesson, and after that your dancing master will be here to teach you some new steps. And then you must be fitted for some new dresses, and after that the woman is coming to—"

"Oh, bother!" cried Gretel. "I don't want to do these things. I want to play."

"You are rich now and your father says you must do as I say."

And a man who looked as though he had been dipped in stiff starch all over, came and said to Hansel, "And you cannot play either, sir! You have even more things to do than Miss Gretel."

"But I don't want to do anything but play marbles," declared Hansel. "I'd rather be poor and not have anything to eat, like the Twins when father was a poor wood-cutter. I wish we hadn't found the old woman's treasure and become so rich."

"So do I," said Gretel. "I'd rather be poor and wear rags again."

"A pretty kettle of fish," said poor Mister Muggs, not knowing what else to say.

Suddenly right before their eyes the fine house melted away, and there stood a poor little cottage with a thatched roof. Away in the distance they could hear the blows of an ax. The poor woodcutter was at work again. Their riches had gone.

"The Fairy Queen must have heard you," said Mister Muggs. "You have your wish."

"And now we'll be happy," cried the children. "Come on, Twins, and play."

(To Be Continued)

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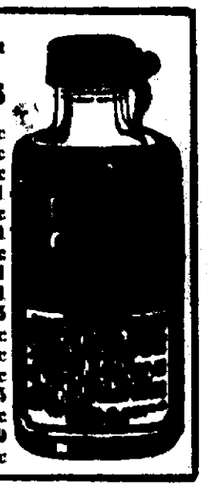

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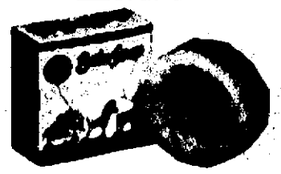

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Steel Men Explain Why Prices Cannot be Sliced

Say Abolition of 12 Hour Day Adds $35,000,000 a Year To Production Costs.

BY J. C. ROYLE
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New York, April 24.—The other factors in steel found many things today to add to the statements regarding conditions in the industry made by Judge E. H. Gary to stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation at their annual meeting.

The men outside the leading interest declared that, having attained the greatest productivity in history, the iron and steel plants would slow down until large stocks were liquidated.

ADDED COSTS.

The independents added to Judge Gary's statement that the abolition of the 12-hour day was costing the Steel Corporation $35,000,000 a year, the declaration that the absorption of the eight hour schedule, accompanied by increased wages and additional employes required, had added 26 percent to overhead costs in the industry as a whole.

They continued that they were in no shape at present to make further startling price cuts because the margin of profit was extremely narrow.

AT LOW LEVELS.

General buying of steel by jobbers and manufacturing consumers has been at a low level since April 1. Jobbers say they have replenished their stocks for the spring trade and even if this proves to be heavy, they are disposed to reach mid-year with only small amounts on hand. Buyers are not showing worriment over the future, however. There is no urgency for deliveries, though mills are receiving a fair volume of new business.

In actual prices being realized there has been little decline from the averages of earlier this month, but the market undoubtedly is easier.

EXPERT MERGERS.

The next thirty days is expected to bring about a merger of several Pacific coast iron and steel companies under the wing of the Pacific Coast Steel Corporation. This merger is not a new development, as the plan was announced at the time the corporation was launched two years ago. Now, however, eastern capital is reported to have been extensively interested so that the original program may be carried through.

The Pacific Coast Steel already owns a large acreage of iron and coal lands in Utah which will be utilized to supply raw materials for the Pacific coast units of the concern. The Columbia Steel Corporation, a competitive company which recently put its plate mills into commission in California, will blow in blast furnaces on its Utah properties this week, which the company asserts will have a capacity of 200,000 tons annually.

COMMODITY NOTES

DRY GOODS.

New Orleans.—Jobbers of dry goods, hats, shoes and millinery declared today that this month so far has been their best for the last year.

SHOES.

Boston.—The Rice and Hutchins plants at Marlboro has cut its production schedules to seven hours a day from the usual ten hour occupation, which turned out 6,000 pairs of shoes daily.

AUTOMOBILES.

Cleveland.—Production of Rollin motors, which now is occupying under lease the plant of the Cleveland Tractor company, is increasing. The company produced 100 cars in January, 450 in February and 900 in March. It is now producing at the rate of 50 cars a day and advance orders, officials say, total 4,000 cars.

SUGAR.

Denver.—The sugar market has registered a drop here in reflection of the tendency in eastern markets. Beet sugar is now retailing 40 cents a hundred pounds under recent figures.

WHEAT.

Wichita, Kan.—Kansas will raise a tremendous wheat crop this year despite the fact that acreage planted to wheat will show a falling off of a million acres from last year.

STEEL.

Pittsburgh.—While 2.30c may still be called the general market in bars, shapes and plates, that price is not seriously regarded by large buyers who expect to do better. Galvanized sheets are holding fairly well.

LUMBER.

Chicago—The Great Lakes fleet of lumber carrying vessels is expected to get out this week for its first cargo from northern ports. A heavy season is expected.

New Orleans—New business received by the mills of the Southern Pine Association last week increased 1.4 per cent, shipments 10.5 per cent and production 3.7 per cent. Orders on hand at the beginning of the week totaled 254,000,000 feet, as compared with 356,000,000 feet a year ago.

COTTON.

Houston—Favorable weather is aiding the planting of cotton, which now is progressing in the northern part of the state. It is expected the increase in Texas acreage will be above 10 per cent.

WHEAT.

Springfield, Ill.—The Illinois wheat crop is below the average and spring planting has been late. Much wheat acreage will be abandoned because of the thin stand and corn, oats, soy beans and forage crops substituted.

HARDWARE.

Pittsburgh—Cool weather is responsible for the quiet hardware market in the Pittsburgh district. Dealers see nothing to be gained by buying ahead, as deliveries are very prompt. Prices are firm.

LAKE ORE DOCKS OPEN WEEK EARLY

St. Paul, April 24 — The Great Northern ore docks at the head of the lakes opened for the 1924 season this week a trifle earlier than was the case in 1923. Officials predicted the total tonnage handled would equal that of last season.

OUT OUR WAY

By Williams

COKE PRICES FALL OFF 25 CENTS TON

Connellsville.—Connellsville coke is stagnant and prices on the small tonnages handed are not significant. The bituminous market is very dull, with mine run steam $1.25 to $2 at the mine, coking coal $1.50 to $2.

St. Paul.—Twin Cities coal dealers assert the increase of $1.16 a gross ton in freight rates on rail shipments of anthracite will not affect prices to consumers. Independent dealers plan to buy from the dock companies, and eliminate all rail shipments.

Fort Worth—The coal miners who have been on strike at the lignite mines in the Malakoff region, have returned to work after being out a year.

DETROIT REPORTS BUSINESS GAINS

Detroit, April 24 — Sentiment in business and industrial circles here has greatly improved since it has been realized that the curtailment of automobile production had been exaggerated. Ford is making new records every day and now has 113,000 men employed here. While the employment barometer in general shows a decline, the majority of workers are being absorbed at once into the building trades. Reports from Flint show 30,000 men employed in the industries there against 33,000 in March. Grand Rapids has 5,000 more working than ever before.

BLUE MOUND HOUSE DAMAGED BY FIRE

Blue Mound, April 24.—About eight o'clock Tuesday morning neighbors of A. A. Bauer discovered his house was on fire. The alarm was sent in and neighbors and citizens came to help fight fire. Most everything was saved, but the second story was almost all destroyed by the fire.

MRS. AKERS DIES.

Mrs. Narcissa D. Akers of Springfield, Ill., but who at the time of her death was with her daughter, Mrs. O. Thornberry in Washington, D. C., died Monday morning, April 21. No particulars of her sickness and death have been received. Mrs. Akers owned the farms occupied by J. D. Daniels, Ben Bullington and Wm. Wheeler.

INJURED.

Monday evening as Mrs. H. B. McCoy was bringing some magazines up out of Miss Anne McCoy's basement, she fell and broke one bone in her left wrist.

Miss Irene Brunings of St. Louis is the guest of relatives here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McCoy and Mrs. Winnie Davidson were Decatur visitors Tuesday.

S. R. Wilson of Taylorville visited his brother, E. C. Wilson, Monday.

PITTSBURGH 7TH IN POSTAL SAVINGS

Pittsburgh, April 24 — Pittsburgh ranks seventh among the cities of the United States in the amount of postal saving deposits. Depositors' balances in this city now are $2,327,443.

K. C. PAINTERS TO GET $10 PER DAY

Kansas City, April 24—More than a thousand union painters have returned to work on a wage scale of $9 a day until June 1 and $10 a day from that time until next April. The old scale was $8.

LIVESTOCK.

Fort Worth—Five thousand head of five-year-old steers requiring 165 freight cars, have been shipped in the last week from Kent county to Bazar Kan., where they will be finished for the fall market. This is the first big movement of Texas stock to Kansas grass this year.

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NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE®

Wall Street Bears Frightened To Cover

Large Short Interests Have Wide Publicity

Oil Group Strong—Dozen Stocks Selling Above Wednesday's Close.

New York, April 24.—Stock prices resumed their movement to higher ground at the opening of today's stock market under the impetus of active short covering. National Supply advanced 3 7-8 in reflection of the recent stock dividend and Goodrich Rubber moved up 1¾.

Most of the oils, steels, motors and rails improved fractionally.

SENATE'S ACTION.

Speculative belief that the senate's defeat of the cash option amendment to the bonus bill would enhance the chances of the tax reduction bill was reflected in the brisk demand for stocks, more than a score issues gaining a point or more in the first half hour.

American Can, Pan-American, Gulf States Steel and National Lead were among those to rule 1 to 2 points higher. Virginia Iron, Coal and Coke which dropped 2 points to 40, a new low, and Corn Products, off 1, were the only conspicuous weak spots. Foreign exchanges were reactionary.

BEARS FRIGHTENED.

The widespread publicity given to the unusually large short interest apparently frightened the bears into covering their commitments, the general list displaying a strong tone throughout. Oils were built up on the report of the American Petroleum Institute showing an average daily reduction in production of nearly 21,000 barrels during the week ended April 19.

Nearly a dozen stocks in that group sold a point or more above yesterday's finish. Marked strength also developed in the sugar, motor and leather groups. American Sugar refining South Porto Rican sugar, Yellow Cab, and American Hide and Leather preferred being among the many issues to stand out with gains of a point or more.

Call money opened at 4 percent. The close was irregular.

LAST SALES.

Allied Chemical & Dye	60
American Can	39
American Car & Foundry	135
American International Corp.	31
American Locomotive	71½
American Smelting & Ref'g.	61
American Sugar	46⅝
American T. & T.	123⅞
American Tobacco	141
American Woolen	66
Anaconda Copper	32⅝
Archison	104⅝
Atl. Gulf & W. Indies	19¼
Baldwin Locomotive	109⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	38
Bethlehem Steel	50½
California Petroleum	23½
Canadian Pacific	117⅝
Central Leather	11 b
Cerro de Pasco Copper	41⅞
Chandler Motors	44½
Chesapeake & Ohio	73⅞
Chicago & Northwestern	51
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul pfd.	23
Chicago, R. I. Pac.	23½
Chile Copper	27⅞
Chino Copper	34½
Consolidated Gas	82
Corn Products	167½
Cosden Oil	31½
Crucible Steel	72⅝
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	56⅞
Erie	33⅝
Famous Players-Lasky	68⅝
General Asphalt	31½
General Electric	240½
General Motors	13⅞
Great Northern, pfd.	51⅝
Gulf States Steel	67½
Illinois Central	101⅞
Inspiration Copper	31⅝
International Harvester	43½ b
Int. Mer Marine pfd.	23
International Paper	48
Invincible Oil	13½
Kelly-Springfield Tire	55½
Kennecott Copper	34⅞
Lima Locomotive	58⅞
Louisville & Nashville	90
Mack Trucks	78½
Marland Oil	34
Maxwell Motors B	11
Middle States Oil	3½
Missouri, Kan. & Tex. (new)	16⅝
Missouri Pacific, pfd.	38
New York Central	100½
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford	17½
Norfolk & Western	123⅞
Northern Pacific	74½
Pacific Oil	47½
Pan American Petroleum B	41⅝
Pennsylvania	41
People's Gas	92½ b
Producers & Refiners	25½
Pure Oil	32
Reading	73
Republic Iron & Steel	45½
Sears Roebuck	137⅝
Sinclair Con. Oil	20½
Southern Pacific	88⅝
Southern Railway	33⅝
Standard Oil of N. J.	50½
Studebaker Corporation	88⅝
Texas Company	41
Texas & Pacific	27
Tobacco Products A	84
Transcontinental Oil	4⅛
Union Pacific	139½
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	66½
United States Rubber	28⅝
United States Steel	98
Utah Copper	67½
Westinghouse Electric	50⅝
Willys-Overland	8⅝

LIBERTY BONDS.

New York, April 24—Liberty bonds closed:

Liberty 3½s, $99.78.
First 4s, $100.
Second 4s, $100.
First 4¼s, $100.2.
Second 4¼s, $100.1.
Third 4¼s, $100.11.
Fourth 4¼s, $100.3.
New 4¼s, $101.14.

MONEY MARKET.

New York, April 24—Call money easier; high, ruling rate, 4; low, closing bid, 3½; last loan 3½; call loans against acceptances 3½; offered 3½; time loans steady; mixed collaterals, 60 days and 4-6 months, 4½@4¾; prime commercial paper 4¼@4½.

NEW YORK SILVER.

New York, April 24—Bar silver, 64½c; Mexican dollars, 46½c.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE.

New York, April 24—Foreign exchange weak:

Great Britain demand 4.37½.
Cable 4.37¾.
France demand 6.23.
Italy demand 4.44½.
Belgium demand 5.41.
Germany demand per trillion .23.
Holland demand 37.26.
Norway 16.96.
Sweden 26.37.
Denmark 18.71.
Switzerland 17.04.
Spain 14.34.
Greece 1.93.
Austria .01.
Czechoslovakia 2.96½.
Poland .07.
Finland 2.57.
Canada par.
Mexican dollars, nominal.

Metal Markets.

New York, April 24—Copper—Steady; [illegible] and [illegible] 14.50.
Tin—Steady; [illegible] 38.00.
Spelter—Steady; East St. Louis spot and [illegible] 5.00.

NO CHANGE IN LOCAL MARKETS

Grain prices were unchanged on a market which fluctuated within very narrow ranges Thursday.

Hogs also are unchanged but weakness developed in the livestock market and there is a downward tendency.

Poultry and dairy products are steady.

Grain

No. 2 hard wheat	.87
Oats	.42
Corn, No. 4 white shelled	.65
Corn, No. 4 yellow shelled	.65

Live Stock.

Choice young hogs, 200@250	$ 6.50@$ 6.75
Choice young hogs, 150@200	6.25@ 6.50
Choice cows, 800@1000 lbs.	3.00@ 3.50
Heavy cows	3.00@ 3.25
Choice steers 700@900 lbs.	6.50@ 7.00
Medium steers, 700@900 lbs.	5.00@ 6.00
Choice heifers, 600 to 800 lbs.	6.00@ 6.50
Good heifers, 600@800 lbs.	5.00@ 5.50
Medium cows, 600@1000 lbs.	2.50@ 3.75
Cutters	2.00@ 2.50
Bulls	3.00@ 4.00
Spring lambs	9.00@ 10.00
Veal calves	6.00@ 8.00
Canners	1.00@ 2.00

Butter and Eggs.

Eggs No. 1 (not washed) dozen	.20
Eggs, No. 2, dozen	.15
Shipping butter	.20
Butter fat, f. o. b. Decatur	.35

Poultry.

Leghorn hens	.17
Hens, average	.22
Smooth Springs, average	.19
Leghorn spring	.14
Stags	.13
Old roosters	.12
Geese, over 8 lbs.	.10
Geese, light	.08
Ducks	.16
Light ducks	.12
Live pigeons, doz.	.75

Hides.

Green	.06
Cured beef No. 1	.06½
Calf skin, 8 to 15 lbs.	.08
Horse hides	3.25

PRODUCE

Chicago Produce.

Chicago, April 24—BUTTER—Higher; creamery extras on standards, 38c; extra firsts, 37½c; firsts, 35½@36c; seconds, 33½@34½c.

EGGS—Lower; receipts, 23,741 cases; firsts, 22c; ordinary firsts, 20½@21c; storage packed extras 21½c; firsts, 21c.

POULTRY—Alive lower, fowls 24@26c; broilers, 44@50c; roosters, 16c.

POTATOES—Slow, dull, receipts, 49 cars; total U. S. shipment 583; Wisconsin sack round whites $1.15@1.30; Minnesota and North Dakota sack Red River Ohios $1.35@1.50.

New York Produce.

New York, April 24—BUTTER—Firm; receipts, 8,281; creamery firsts, 38 to 91 score 37@38c; packing stock current make No. 2, 27@27½c.

EGGS—Irregular; 41,556.

CHEESE—Steady; 166,263 pounds.

LIVE POULTRY—Weak; no freight quotations. Broilers by express 35@65c; fowls, 26@28c.

DRESSED—Steady; fowls, 25@36c.

NEW YORK SUGAR.

New York, April 24—Raw and refined sugar unchanged.

Toledo Seeds.

Toledo, April 24—CLOVER SEED—Cash old $13.50 asked; new $11.00; October $12.00.

TIMOTHY SEED—Cash $3.70 asked; May $3.75 asked; September $1.00.

IRON AND STEEL

Cleveland, Ohio, April 24—Iron Trade Review today says:

"Steel prices continue under test and manifestly have not yet been established at a point where they are restoring the confidence of buyers. Further weakness has not appeared the past week except in a few lines and to this extent the market is more stationary. Leading producers are cautious not to offer such fresh concessions as would break into lower price levels and there is less talk of general reductions than a week ago.

"Many buyers clearly are holding back waiting for prices to reach an equilibrium though this is not the case with all branches of the market. In certain directions, the momentum of recent buying still is bringing forth a substantial amount of new tonnage. New business booked by the Steel Corporation for the first half of April was in excess of the corresponding period in March.

"Conflicting reports concerning conditions in the automobile industry still continue to come out. A new estimate from steel works sources places the present rate of production in Michigan at above 12,000 cars daily which would represent a very creditable showing. Independent manufacturers are cutting down their schedules."

New York Cotton.

New York, April 24—COTTON—Futures opened steady: May 28.08; July 27.70; 27.80; October, 24.62; December, 24.60; January 23.63.

COTTON—Futures closed firm: May 28.23 to 29.37; July 28.10@28.15; October 24.62@24.70; December 24.07@24.10; January 23.17.

SPOT—Steady; middling 29.00.

MEANS SAYS HIS DOCUMENTS GONE

Washington, April 24—Gaston B. Means, former investigator for the department of justice and star witness before Daugherty committee, reported to the committee members today that his extensive collection of diaries and documents put in evidence had disappeared.

DEEDS RECORDED

Mary A. Miller to G. H. Zimmerman, lots 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 and south 53 feet of lot 1, block 8, Blue Mound; $10.

Elmer Claw to O. B. Church, lot 2, block 2, C. C. Morrison's second addition; $500.

W. P. Hughes to C. J. Baldwin, lot 11, block 7, H. A. Woods' subdivision; $1.

August Chepas to Alice Bain, lot 8, block 18, Carver's addition; $1,250.

Joe Schoenle to S. R. McDaniel, south 40 feet of lot 1, block 1, May Bros. & Traver's sub-division; $1.

W. H. Jiles to Joe Schoenle, lot 17, block 1, Southeastern addition; $1.

A. F. Shafekey to William Schiff, lot 12, block 8, Oakdale; $1.

C. R. Lyon to C. C. Haddock, lot 16 block 13, Johns second addition; $200.

Florence M. Fordice to H. F. Cloud, lot 6, block 8, University Place; $1.

Bessie A. Emerson to Maynard Goddard lot 1, block 8, East Park Boulevards; $1.

J. N. Martin to C. G. Schutz, lot 2, block 6, Hardman's addition; $2,000.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE QUOTATIONS

(Furnished by Latham Bros. & Co.)

Chicago, April 24—Following is the range of prices with yesterday's close:

	High.	Low.	Close.	Yes.
WHEAT—Open.				
May	102⅝@102¾	100¼	102⅝	102¾@102⅞
July	104½@104¾	103¼	104¼	104⅝@104¾
Sept.	105⅝@105	104¼	105	105⅝@105¾
CORN—				
May	77¼@ 77	77½	76⅝	76⅝@77¼
July	78⅝@ 78½	78⅝	78	78@78⅝
Sept.	77⅞@ 77⅝	78¼	77⅝	77⅝@78
OATS—				
May	46⅝@ 46	46½	46⅝	46⅝@46¾
July	44 @	44⅝	44	44⅝@45
Sept.	39⅝@	40⅝	39⅝	40@39⅝
RYE—				
May	83¼@	83¼	81¼	83
July	67¼@	67¼	67	67
LARD—				
May	1072@	1075	1072	1072
July	1097@	1100	1097	1097
RIBS—				
May	@			993
July	@			1010

WHEAT TAKES DOWN TURN

Chicago, April 24—Auspicious reports on crop conditions together with prevailing favorable weather tended to bring about lower price for wheat today. Likelihood of enlarged deliveries on May contracts counted as a bearish factor. On the downturns however, buying increased and led to something of a reaction.

SLIGHT RALLIES.

The opening which ranged from ⅛ to ⅜@½c lower, May $1.02½@⅝ and July $1.04¼@½ was followed by slight rallies.

The market took a sudden upturn after announcement that the McNary-Haugen bill had been reported favorably by the house agricultural committee. Though, a setback ensued when word came that the Caraway bill to prohibit trading in futures had been placed before the senate. Prices closed unsettled ⅜@½c net lower to a shade advance May $1.02½@⅝ and July $1.04¼@⅝.

Corn was easier. After opening unchanged to ¼c off May 77@¾, the market hardened somewhat but soon sagged again.

Rallies which later took place proved transient. The close was ⅜ to ½c not decline May 76⅝c.

Oats were relatively steady starting unchanged to ¼c higher May 46⅝@¾ and then holding near to the initial figure.

Firmness in provisions resulted from absence of aggressive selling.

CHICAGO CARS.

Chicago, April 24—	Rcts.	Con't.	Estd.	Ago.
Wheat	15	12	17	42
Corn	65	20	43	71
Oats	69	57	64	61
Rye	4			
Barley	4			

Chicago Cash Market.

Chicago, April 24—WHEAT—1 hard $1.05½@1.12½; 2 hard $1.06@1.11.

CORN—2 mixed 78⅝@79½c; 3 mixed 77½@78½c; 4 mixed 76½@76⅝c; 2 yellow 80c@80½c; 3 yellow 78@80c; 4 yellow 75½@77½c; 5 yellow 76c; 3 white, 78@78½c; 4 white, 76½@77½c; sample grade 71@72c.

OATS—2 white 49½c; 3 white 47⅝@49½c 4 white 47⅝@48c.

RYE—2, 67c.

BARLEY—76@98c.

TIMOTHY—$3.00@7.00.

CLOVER—$13.50@22.00.

LARD—$10.67.

RIBS—$10.12.

BELLIES—$10.50.

Kansas City Cash Grain.

Kansas City, April 24—WHEAT—2 hard 98c@$1.22; 2 red $1.10@1.11; May, 94½c; split asked; July 90½c bid; September 87⅝c.

CORN—2 yellow 78@79c; 2 mixed 73c; May 72⅝c split asked; July 73⅝c asked; September 73⅝c split asked.

OATS—2 white, 50c; 3 white, 48⅝@49c.

St. Louis Grain.

St. Louis, April 24—CASH WHEAT—1 red $1.15; 2, $1.14.

CORN—2 white 81½c; 2 yellow 82@82½c.

OATS—2 white, 50½; 3, 49½c.

CLOSE WHEAT—May $1.01⅝; July $1.03⅝.

CORN—May 77⅝@78c; July 79c.

OATS—May 48½c; July blank.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, April 24—WHEAT—Receipts, 89 cars; 1 northern $1.10⅝@1.15; 1 dark northern spring choice, to fancy $1.28⅝@1.30⅝; May $1.10⅝; July $1.13; September $1.14⅞.

CORN—3 yellow, 70⅝@71½c.

OATS—3 white, 46@46½c.

FLOUR—Unchanged.

Peoria Cash Grain.

Peoria, Ill., April 24—CORN—Receipts, 41 cars; ½c lower; 2 white 77½c; 2 yellow 77@77½c; 3 yellow 76c; 4 yellow 74½c; 5 yellow 73c; 6 yellow 71c; 6 mixed, 71c; sample 65c.

OATS—Receipts, 8 cars; ½ cent lower; 2 white, 48c.

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE.

Chicago, April 24—Journal of Commerce says: "Leading commission houses are advocating transfer of open interests in May wheat to more deferred deliveries because of the diminishing amount of speculative trading and the liberal stocks of wheat shown in the world's available supply.

COMING EVENTS.

Chicago April 24—Coming Events says: "Technical conditions should cause market rally further today. We would not follow up bulges at present, since we believe that the market will continue in a trading area for a few weeks, characterized by alternating period of strength and weakness. The sound rails should be accumulated on recessions since the group seems destined to enjoy an actively higher market in the latter part of the year. Prefer buying B. and O., S. R., Nickel Plate, Northern Pacific, Erie and New Haven."

AGAIN, STIFF'S BODY NOT FOUND

Charleston, Ill., April 24.—A report circulated in this city Wednesday to the effect that the body of John Stiff, supposed to have been drowned in the Ambraw river near Hindsboro Dec. 10 last, had been recovered eighty miles below the point where he disappeared, proved without foundation.

The body has not been found, and no trace of it, other than the hat which Stiff wore at the time he disappeared, has ever been discovered.

PERSHING NOT TO ENTER POLITICS

Washington, April 24.—A flat statement that "if by any chance the nomination for the vice presidency should be offered to me I should decline to accept it, was made today by General J. J. Pershing.

CHICAGO HOG PRICES DOWN

Indianapolis Hogs Go Dime Lower; Cattle Steady.

Chicago, April 24.—HOGS—31,000; slow; 5c lower; bulk good and choice 250 to 325 pound butchers, $7.25@7.40; top, $7.40; good and choice 140 to 150 pound averages, $6.80@7.00; packing sows, $6.65@6.85; bulk, 120 to 130 pound pigs, $5.75@6.25; heavy hogs, $7.15@7.40; medium, $7.10@7.40; light, 6.20@7.35; light lights, $5.75@7.10; packing sows, smooth, $6.75@6.90; rough, $6.55@6.75; slaughter pigs, $4.25@6.25.

CATTLE—11,000; killers dragging; unevenly lower; steers and she stock, 10 to 25c off; early top matured steers, $11.25; steers of value to sell at $10.00 up show most decline; bulls, 15c lower; bolognas, $4.35@4.65; vealers, 25 to 50c off; better grades, $8.00@8.50; few choice calves, $9.25@9.50; stockers and feeders, steady.

SHEEP—10,000; active; fat lambs, 15@25c higher; sheep, 25c lower; few desirable fat wooled lambs, $16.15@16.25; medium clipped lambs, $13.00; choice handy fat clipped wethers, $9.50; clipped ewes, 8.50; good wooled ewes, $9.00.

Peoria Live Stock.

Peoria, Ill., April 24—HOGS—Receipts, 1,700; weaker to 5c lower; top $7.30; lights $6.75@7.25; mediums $7.15@7.30; heavies $7.15@7.30; packers $6.15@6.75.

CATTLE—Receipts, light; unchanged; best calves $8.50.

East St. Louis Live Stock.

East St. Louis, April 24—HOGS—Receipts, 11,000; 5c lower; bulk good and choice butchers, $7.35@7.40; top $7.40; packer sows mostly $6.40.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; not enough steers to make market; quarantine Texas steers steady $7.90@8.25; bologna $4.50 @5.00; light vealers $8.25@8.50.

SHEEP—Receipts, 1,000; mostly through; few steady on lambs; two decks choice wool lambs to butchers $16.30; few medium clipped $13.00; fat ewes, 50c lower.

Cleveland Live Stock.

Cleveland, April 24—(Bower & Bower report—HOGS—Receipts, 5,000; lower; Yorkers and mediums and heavies mixed $7.65; pigs, $6.50.

CATTLE—Receipts, 200; slow.

SHEEP AND LAMBS—Receipts, 1,000; slow.

Calves—Receipts, 400.

Kansas City Livestock.

Kansas City, April 24—CATTLE—Receipts 2,800; slow; steers steady to weak; top $11.00; bulk $8.00@10.30; spots strong on yearlings.

HOGS—Receipts, 7,000; steady; packer and shipper top $7.15; bulk $6.80@7.15.

SHEEP—Receipts, 2,000; lambs 15c lower; top wooled lambs, $16.00; bulk $15.50@15.85; sheep steady to weak.

Indianapolis Live Stock.

Indianapolis, April 24—HOGS—Receipts 6,500; 5@10c lower; heavies $7.35@7.45; lights, $7.45@7.50; top $7.50; pigs, $6.50 @7.00.

CATTLE—Receipts, 1,000; steady; steers $7.50@11.00; beef cows $3.00@8.00; heifers $5.00@9.00; calves higher; vealers, $7.00@ 11.00.

SHEEP—Receipts, 100; steady; sheep, $3.00@9.50; lambs, $12.00@17.00.

SULLIVAN REVIVAL SPLENDID SUCCESS

Closes with Thirty-nine Accessions.

Sullivan, April 24—The special evangelistic campaign of the Methodist church, Rev. Milton Wilson, pastor, came to a close Sunday night at 9 o'clock. A summary follows:

Began Sunday morning, March 30. Closed Sunday evening, April 20. No services held on the three Saturdays intervening. Twenty-three sessions held in Auditorium; four Epworth League sessions; four Sunday school sessions; total number of meetings was good. The choir platform was big enough to accommodate twenty-nine. The chairs were all occupied each session excepting an occasional vacancy because of an oversight. The leader of the choir, L. A. Thomas, was at his post for every service. Special vocal numbers were rendered by different singers for every service excepting one. The pianist, or one of her assistants, was at the piano ready for service at the ringing of the bell for every service.

Six sermons were delivered by Revs. E. J. Campbell, G. V. Metzel, A. M. Wells, G. W. Montgomery, C. F. Bunker and A. G. Carnine. Seventeen sermons and eight short talks were delivered by the pastor.

The janitor was at his post for every service and at all times had everything in readiness for worship. The actual number of admissions for the thirty-one sessions, regular service, Sunday school and Epworth league, 4109, average 132.

Total number of conversions, decisions or confessions, 41. Number received into the church by confession of faith, 28. Received by letter or transfer, 11. Total 39. Four are baptized and ready for reception into the church. Six are ready for baptism. One of the class had decided to unite with another church.

OTHER MEETINGS.

Thursday night there will be a meeting of the official board in the church annex at 7:30. Friday night from 7:30 to 9:30 a big party for King's Heralds in church annex under direction of Mrs. Bert McCune. Saturday night regular meeting of the choir at 7:30. The egg roll for Chaddock continues all week. Next Sunday is our Spring Rally day in the Sunday school. Miss Luetta Ray leads the Epworth league meeting Sunday evening at 6:30. The W. F. M. S. meets with Mrs. I. L. McClung next Thursday.

Sermon subject Sunday morning at 10:45, "What Christ Expects from His Church." The 7:30 p. m. there: "Giving Christ a Chance in Fundamentals."

PERSONALS

Miss Taurea E. Lux, a special teacher in the Decatur Public schools is in St. Louis attending the National Association of Penmanship Supervisors.

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of today's Review for new Victor Record releases on sale tomorrow at Emerson's, 143-145 North Main. Come in and hear them.

SQUARE DANCE TONIGHT.

Forsyth 9 to 12. Park's 5 piece orchestra.

HOME HOT BLAST FURNACES.

Low prices, Easy Terms. Office 241 E. Eldorado St. Phone M. 327.

PUBLIC DANCE.

At Modern Woodmen new hall 155½ W. Main, Thursday evening. Hours 8:30-11:30. Adm. 50c. Harvey Cox and his 7-piece orchestra.

BIG STOCK

of monuments at gate of Greenwood cemetery. Decatur Monument Co.

DANCE TONIGHT.

"Merry-Mont." Eccentric Harmony Kings will play. Come dance all evening. 8:30 to 11.30. Admission 10 cts.

To Serve Dinner.

The W. R. C. will have its regular dinner Friday noon and there will be an all day quilting.

DANCE TONIGHT.

At Silvermoon. Music by Tolliver and his Radio Syncopators. Colored orchestra. Hours 8:30-12. Adm. 10c per dance. Don't miss it.

M'CORMICK VOTED AGAINST BONUS

Washington, April 24.—Senator McCormick, Republican, Illinois, who voted yesterday for the cash option amendment to the bonus bill, obtained unanimous consent in the senate today to have it shown in the permanent record that he had voted against the amendment.

After the senate adjourned yesterday Senator McCormick insisted that he had voted "in the negative, but upon examination, the record showed he was recorded in the affirmative.

"The clerk misunderstood me," he said.

MRS. WITTMANN DIES IN PANA HOME

Pana, April 24—Mrs. Minnie T. Wittmann, wife of G. A. Wittmann, died Wednesday at the family home, 110 South Poplar street, after several years' illness following a stroke of paralysis. She was a resident of Pana thirty years, and besides the husband leaves a son, Julius, of St. Louis, and two daughters, Misses Celesta and Helen L. Wittmann.

Mrs. Wittmann was a devout member of the Catholic church.

EXPECT APPEAL IN THAW DECISION

Philadelphia, April 24—Mrs. Mary C. Thaw, 82 year old mother of H. K. Thaw, left today for her home in Pittsburgh, confident she will shortly be joined by her son who is still held, pending appeal from the verdict of a jury that declared him sane. The appeal is expected to be taken by counsel for Evelyn Nesbit Thaw's divorced wife, whose 13 year old son, Russell William Thaw, intervened in the proceedings, because of his anticipatory interest in Thaw's estate.

LITTLE FOLKS ARE ENTERTAINED

Ivesdale, April 24—Mrs. A. J. Tabaka entertained 24 little folks at her home, Wednesday afternoon from 2 to 5, in honor of Janet's sixth birthday. The afternoon was passed in playing games and refreshments of ice, fruit-salad, candy and pop corn were served.

AUTOMOBILES

Automobiles For Sale. 11

GOOD USED CARS—For sale or trade. See them at 108 S. Main. Thompson's Used Car Market. Main 293.

HUPMOBILE SEDAN—1922 model. If you are in the market for a real value, come in and see this car. Reverts & Ehler, "Fair and Square," 814 East Main street. Main 172.

OVERLAND—Model 90 touring. Repainted. 1st-class mechanical condition. Good tires. Bargain at $160. W. C. Starr, 530 N. Main St. Main 231.

OVERLAND—1923 touring. A-1 mechanically. Wm. Frede & Son, 126 N. Franklin St. Main 1718.

REO—1923 touring; 1921 touring, with Rex top. Also a 1921 Speedwagon. Reo Motor Sales Co., 236 E. North St. Main 763.

SPIESS AUTO SALES CO. BARGAINS—

BUICK—1918 touring.

MAXWELL—1923 touring.

NASH—1920 touring.

MAXWELL & CHRYSLER DEALERS.

244 E. WOOD. A. B. HOLABIRD, MGR.

USED CARS—

CHEVROLET—1924 ton truck.

STUDEBAKER—1923 light 6 coupe. Refinished and in fine shape.

STUDEBAKER—1922 special 6 coupe. In fine mechanical condition.

AUBURN—1922. 6 sport roadster. In fine shape.

BUICK—1921 6 touring. Good condition. 5 cord tires.

SEVERAL OTHERS NOT LISTED.

CASH OR TERMS.

V. M. ELMORE & SON.

STUDEBAKER DISTRIBUTORS.

282 S. Main. Main 567.

WILLYS KNIGHT—88-4. 40-horse power, 7-passenger touring car. Sleeve valve motor; equipped with Kelly-Springfield Cord tires, one spare; spot light; tonneau lights; bumper. Demonstration without obligation. Call Main 3029.

GOOD LIGHT CARS—$50 up; terms. See them at Adams Used Car Market, 503 North Main. Main 2981.

SPECIAL USED CAR BUYS—

HUPMOBILES—1924 coupe, 1922 touring, and 1920 touring.

FORDS—Three sedans, two roadsters, and three tourings.

ESSEX—4-passenger coach, 1923 model.

BUICKS—1919 touring, 1918 touring, 1917 sedan.

STUDEBAKER—1919 big six touring.

E. G. HEDGES.

532 E. MAIN ST. MAIN 538.

STARR & SON USED CARS—

MAXWELL—1923 model touring car. Disc wheels and cord tires. A good clean car.

HUPMOBILE—1921 model touring car. Cord tires. New paint job. In good shape throughout.

FORDS—We have practically all models, coupes, sedans, tourings, roadsters and trucks. Priced to sell.

CASH—TRADE—TERMS.

J. G. STARR & SON.

122 S. FRANKLIN ST. MAIN 379

Auto Trucks For Sale. 12

FORD TRUCK—Light Ford delivery truck; panel body; good mechanical condition; bargain for cash. National Grocer Co. Main 842.

FORD TRUCK—Ton. Stake body; good condition, $150 if taken at once. Call Fairview 472.

TRUCK—Ford delivery or camping truck good top, tires, paint. Guaranteed running condition, quick sale, $65. 357 E. Lincoln.

TRUCK—Ford ton, 1921 model, A-1 condition. At a bargain. No dealer. 413 E. Garfield; Fair. 1407.

$135 CASH—Will buy ton Ford truck, 20 model. Good condition. Apply at 1413 E. Condit.

Auto Accessories. 13

AUTO PARTS—Used Overland parts and others. See us first. Emerson Auto Parts Co. 215 N. Fifth. M. 715.

PARTS—For 1917 Pan American, wrecking this week. Emerson Auto Parts Co. Main 715.

TIRES—Sacrificed, 30x3, 30x3½, 33. All other sizes, $4.50. Used Tire Store, 233 E. Eldorado. Open 7 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Motorcycles and Bicycles. 15

MOTORCYCLE—HARLEY DAVIDSON, WITH OR WITHOUT SIDE CAR. 1014 ST. LOUIS AVE.

Repairing—Service Stations. 16

WELDING—And rebuilding crank shafts, axels, etc. Dec Welding Co. 1217 E. Eldorado. Main 6301.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Business Services Offered. 18

RUGS—Made from your old ingrain carpets and carpet rags Pfister Rug Works 713 E. Lincoln. Main 6878.

TREE SURGERY—Treat your trees for borer. M. D. Dean. Main 6674.

Cleaning, Dyeing, Renovating. 20

RUG CLEANING—Have your rugs shampooed with the Hamilton Beach carpet washer and be assured of satisfaction. Vacuum cleaners for rent. Workman. Main 6318 or Main 4031.

LEAVE YOUR DIRT AT MERIDITH'S—OUR MODERN, SCIENTIFIC WAY OF RUG CLEANING REMOVES THE DIRT AND GERMS BUT LEAVES THE RUG UNHARMED. DRY CLEANING—SHAMPOOING. MERIDITH CLEANING CO 230 E. CERRO GORDO. MAIN 208.

Dressmaking—Millinery. 21

SEWING—Wanted. Ladies' and children's clothing a specialty. Main 2533.

Hairdressing, Massage, Manicure 21A

NEWEST TRANSFORMATIONS—Beautiful first quality hair. Mrs. Heller's Beauty Shop, 104 S. Water.

Laundering. 24

CURTAINS—Laundered. Work guaranteed. Call for and deliver. Main 5840.

FAMILY WASHINGS—Called for and delivered. Satisfaction guaranteed. Main 1830.

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

HAULING—Autos, sedans, coal and moving. Call Fairview 788.

MOVING OR HAULING—Of all kinds, by truck. Call Fair. 1407.

BUSINESS SERVICE

Moving, Trucking, Storage. 25

CHEAP MOVING, PLEASE—

VANS—TRUCKS—DRAYS—For hauling anything, anywhere.

STORAGE—Our storage department offers you a clean and safe place for storing household goods and furniture.

PACKING — SHIPPING — MOVING—Our Meridith equipment for packing can refer.

MERIDITH MOVING & STORAGE CO.

520 E. CERRO GORDO ST. MAIN 208

KENNARD TRANS

These Ads Tell In Simple, Easily Understood Words Where To Get What You Want

EMPLOYMENT

Salesmen and Agents. 38

SALESMAN—With car. We have a very attractive proposition to offer, $17 to $35 per day. Territory open in central Illinois. Call or write for particulars. Maybaek Garage, 583 W. Green, Decatur, Ill.

SALESMEN—With cars, to sell Colt farm lighting and cooking plants to farm owners. Want men who can demonstrate our proposition in a clear convincing manner. Unusual opportunity for rapid advancement, based entirely on your results. Apply H. F. Shea, St. Nicholas Hotel.

Situations Wanted—Female. 39

CLERICAL—Or general office work by experienced young lady, good references. Address Box 784, care Review.

LADY—Wishes position as housekeeper. More for a home, widower preferred. Reference. Address Box 785, care Review.

STENOGRAPHER—Experienced, furnished on short notice. Call Main 1365.

FINANCIAL

Business Opportunities. 38

GARAGE—Must sell fine garage business in good town. Small capital will handle. Address Box 778, care Review.

GRAIN ELEVATOR—Well located, in good farming community. Only one in locality, including crib for 22,000 bu. ear corn. Also five-room dwelling. The price is right, $3,000 will handle. Drake & Hanselman, 804 N. Main St., M. 1092.

LUCRATIVE—Good, clean, small, merchandisable stock. A good opportunity to get money worth money. See me or call Room 36, Brunswick Hotel.

PAINTERS—Have a client contractor painter and paper hanger, now running four men in a town of 2,000. No competition, who is moving to Southeast Missouri and wishes to dispose of his equipment and stock. Will invoice approximately $500. A fine opportunity for someone wishing to go into business for himself. Immediate possession. For details, Campbell, 202 Citizens Bldg., M. 3270.

ROOMING HOUSE—16 rooms, modern except furnace, one block from National Tile, 75 ft. front. Priced to sell. Also a six-room house, modern except water. 504 Dalhart St., Vandalia, Ill.

Money to Loan. 40

CITY PROPERTY—See us for years on city property. Good mortgages for sale. McDonald & O'Mara, Phone Main 230, 128 N. Main street.

REAL ESTATE LOANS—ALL KINDS OF INSURANCE. JOHNSON & BOBB, 127 E. PRAIRIE ST.

INSTRUCTION

Correspondence Courses. 42

BEAUTY CULTURE—Ladies, we teach beauty culture quickly. Positions waiting. Write for catalog. Moler College, 104 S. Wells, Chicago.

LEARN BARBERING—It pays. Short course qualifies. Catalog free. Write Moler Barber College, 105 S. Wells, Chicago.

LIVE STOCK

Dogs, Cats, Pets. 47

BULL DOG—Baston, brindle, $25. Call between 6 and 7 p. m. Main 6622.

Horses, Cattle, Vehicles. 48

SADDLE MARES—Two, registered, sired by Cadet de Cloy; three and five gaited, tipy and nicely mannered. E. P. Hall, Mechanicsburg, Ill.

Poultry and Supplies. 49

BABY CHICKS—All varieties, 10 cts. up. Free catalogue. Write or call. Hayes Bros. Hatchery, 2030 N. Monroe. M. 2908.

BABY CHICKS—Prices for May 5 to August 1: White, Brown, Buff or R. C. Brown Leghorns, assorted, $8.50 per 100; Barred Rocks, S. C. Reds, $9.50; Anconas, White Rocks, R. C. Reds, $11.50; White Wyandottes, Buff Orpingtons, $12.50; 100 per cent live delivery guaranteed; parcel post prepaid; mail your order today to Miller Hatchery, Heyworth, Ill.

BABY CHIX—11c each and up, 10 standard varieties from pure bred heavy laying Hogan tested flocks. Postpaid to you or sold at hatchery. Catalogue free. Standard Hatcheries, 905 E. Wood M. 1393.

CHIX—Why you should buy Lakeside Poultry farm chicks. Elegant for exhibition. None better as layers. An average egg production 20 eggs each per hen during month of January and February. Single Comb Rhode Island Reds and White Leghorns, $303 S. Hilton, R. R. 8, John Siderwall, Fairview 638.

R. I. RED EGGS—Thorough-bred. Mrs. Henry Park, County 869, Ring 12.

HATCHING EGGS—White Leghorn, $1.50 to $5 per setting. Show record back of them. Wald McCarty, 2155 N. Edward. Main 2963.

START YOUR CHICKS RIGHT—Feed Buttermilk Developer Mash and Poultry Oatmeal, Shellbarger Feed & Elevator Co., J. M. Allen, Mgr., Sangamon & Clinton Sts. Phone Main 173. We deliver city feed orders.

6 HENS—And rooster, chicken house and wire. Call Fairy 701 after 5 p. m.

Wanted—Live Stock. 50

COWS WANTED—2 fresh cows. W. Sampson, Route 36 County 865, ring 2.

MERCHANDISE

Articles For Sale. 51

BABY BUGGY—Gray "Sturgis," first-class condition, 307 W. Cerro Gordo.

BABY CARRIAGE—Lloyd, reversible seat. Just like new. Will sacrifice for $25 cash. H. W. Gatecki, 115 Westlawn Ave. Main 1350.

DOUGHNUT OUTFIT—24 pans, 1 kettle, 1 mixing bowl. All fixtures go with it. Cheap. Doing good business. 122 W. Grand.

FINE SOD—Very cheap; wholesale or retail; delivered or not; must sell quickly; grading new circular fine elm trees also. Main 3149, Fairview 111.

HOME PEATHERS—Nice and clean, 35 lbs. Reasonable price. Call Main 3602.

JEEP BABY BUGGY—For sale cheap. Call at 2603 East North.

VARNISH—Best inside and floor varnish, $2.75 gal., while it lasts. Harringer Hardware.

WARDROBE TRUNK—$25.00. First-class condition. Apply at 1012 East Eldorado St.

Business and Office Equipment. 52

QUICK TYPEWRITER CO.—Buys, sells, exchanges and service typewriters. Call M. 1036, at 118 N. William.

CASH REGISTER—"National" small; oak finish; practically new. E. S. Nichols, Findlay, Ill.

TYPEWRITERS—New and factory rebuilt machines, all standard makes. Expert repair service. Decatur Typewriter Co., 251 N. Main St. Main 1197.

Building Materials. 54

CEMENT BLOCKS—410 for sale. Also other tools. 404 E. Jackson.

Household Goods. 59

CHINA CLOSET—With combination buffet, Golden Oak, in fine shape. Only $19.50. E. Carter Rose, 543 N. Water.

DINING SUITE—Early English, and oak dresser. Fairview 2484.

FURNITURE—See us before you sell your furniture, stoves, rugs, refrigerators, etc. We pay cash. Ohlendorf Furniture Co., 235 N. Water. Main 2387.

CHAIRS—Use stoves, refrigerators. We buy, sell furniture and stoves. Perry's Used Goods, 428 E. Eld. M. 2647.

LIBRARY TABLE—Porcelain top kitchen table, 2 kitchen chairs and other articles. Good 4 mo. As good as new. 800 W. Harrison.

Household Goods. 59

MATTRESSES CLEANED—And given new ticking at small cost. Decatur Mattress Factory, 1025 North Water. Main 1666.

OIL STOVE—Table pad, linoleum; new. Used fireless cooker, dining chairs, 2 tables, vacuum cleaner, sanitary couch, cupboard, curtains. 1746 E. William. M. 4677.

OIL STOVES—We sell Perfection, Puritan, Laraine and Boss. Sizes for every home; $8.50 up. Eldorado Furniture House, 653 E. Eldorado.

REFRIGERATORS—50, 75, 100 lb. top lockers, $15.50, $18.50 and $22.50. Good ones. P. O. Greer Furn. Co. 623 N. Water. M. 4349.

SEWING MACHINES—All makes that are in good repair, $3 up. Drophead machines priced from $6 up. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

VELVET RUG—11 ft. 3 in.x9 ft. 2 mahogany chairs, and other household goods. Main 686.

THE BEST PLACE—In the city to buy high grade used furniture and musical instruments Park St. Furniture Store, 218 N. Park St. Main 679.

UNREDEEMED STORAGE FURNITURE

DINING ROOM SUITE—6 piece F. O. for $54.00. Library tables, $6.00 up.

LIVING ROOM SUITE—2-piece tapestry overstuffed, $95.00.

PIANO—Upright, for $12.50.

FLOOR LAMP—$8.75; standing wire flower rack, $1.50.

RUGS—Several good room size rugs at $10.00 and up.

GAS STOVES—$10.00 up.

DAVENPORTS—And davenettes. Also an inexpensive outfit consisting of bed, spring, new mattress, small dresser, stand table, cook stove, dining table, chairs, 2 rugs and rocker, all for $79.65.

CASH OR CREDIT.

MERIDUTH STORAGE AND FURN. CO.

MAIN 203. 320 E. CERRO GORDO ST.

Jewelry and Watches. 60

UNREDEEMED WATCHES—At almost half price; each watch in good condition. W. Rosenberg, 125 South Water.

Musical Instruments. 62

BANJOS—Bargain prices on some used small instruments. Cornets, clarinets, bands, etc. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

GULBRANSEN PLAYER PIANO—See it in our window then come in and see how easy it pumps, how the melody stands out, how human like it is. The price is only $420 and it's a genuine Gulbransen. Terms. Two years to pay. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 815.

PHONOGRAPH—A new console model. Slightly used. Terms. Emerson Piano House, 143 N. Main St. Main 815.

PHONOGRAPH—Console type. Cost $110 four months ago. Can't be told from new. Priced very low. Decatur Music Shop, 118 E. William. Main 1550.

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$175 BUYS—Schiller piano, used only short time. Has been rebuilt and in guaranteed condition. Convenient terms. Linn & Scruggs.

Seeds, Plants, Flowers. 63

CABBAGE—Tomato, Bermuda Onion Plants. For immediate shipment millions of stocky open field grown plants. Early Jersey, Chas. Dutch, Copenhagen Market cabbage; Greater Baltimore, Globe, Red Beauty tomato; Crystal Wax onions. Prepaid mail, 400, $1.00; 1,000, $2.00; express, 3,000, $5.00. Parker Farms, Valdosta, Ga.

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STRAWBERRY PLANTS—"Senator Dunlap" variety. Ed Walker, 319 S. Main. M. 3391.

Wearing Apparel. 65

COATS—2 spring coats, one blue, another brown size 36. Call evenings after 6 p. m. Main 1411.

Wanted—To Buy 66

CASH REGISTER—Wanted. Small size. Call Main 3165.

OLD BARN—Wanted. Cecil Halbrook, 2401 N. Graceland. Main 3188.

SHOW CASE—Want to buy show case. Telephone Main 7066.

CALF, MAIN 679—If you have any furniture or stoves for sale. Park St. Furniture Store, 218 N. Park St.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Rooms Without Board. 68

EDWARD, N., 923—Modern sleeping room. Private home. Suitable for two.

MAIN ST., S., 449—Nice, modern, front sleeping room; private entrance; cheap.

MAIN ST., W., 845—Nicely furnished rooms. Call Main 1706.

NORTH W., 747—Large furnished front bedroom, gentlemen preferred. M. 3512.

WILLIAM ST., W., 280—Desirable quiet front room. Private entrance. Fairview 2296.

ROOM—Comfortable modern sleeping room for lady. Reference. Fairview 288.

ROOMS—Hot and cold water, telephone, newly decorated and refurnished. Special weekly rates. Brunswick hotel.

Rooms for Housekeeping. 69

CERRO GORDO, E., 443—Furnished modern l. h. k. and sleeping rooms. Fairview 987.

CHURCH, N., 1221—2 modern furnished light housekeeping rooms. Adults.

CHURCH ST., N., 441—2 furnished upstairs rooms. Also large front, downstairs room. All modern and newly papered.

CLEVELAND, E., 925—3 modern unfurnished rooms. Near car line. Main 1809.

COLLEGE, N., 846—2 modern furnished rooms. Close in. 98 wk. M. 3800.

DECATUR ST., W., 1145—Furnished light housekeeping rooms.

DIVISION, W., 329—2 strictly modern unfurnished rooms. $30. Main 9407.

FIFTH ST., N., 341—3 modern unfurnished rooms. Adults.

JACKSON, N., 867—Large modern room on ground floor with kitchenette. Convenient to bath. Fair. 1908.

KING ST., W., 324—3 rooms for l. h. k. Modern. Main 4696.

KING, W., 823—Modern furnished room; kitchen privileges. Main 2384.

MAIN ST., N., 606—3 modern unfurnished rooms for rent.

MARIETTA, E., 1151—2 furnished rooms. Partly modern. Private entrance.

NORTH ST., E., 230—3 unfurnished modern rooms.

NORTH ST., E., 1003—4 large unfurnished rooms and bath; upstairs. Water, gas, lights, furnished. $32 per month. Alice Lee.

NORTH ST., W., 820—Two front modern furnished rooms. Upstairs.

NORTH ST., W., 872—Two, modern, furnished rooms; adults. Main 3762.

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 1020—Two furnished modern l. h. k. rooms. Adults.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 289—2 modern furnished light housekeeping rooms.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 235—Three, modern, unfurnished rooms; newly papered. Main 5719.

UNION N., 1233—Two, mod., well furnished rooms; adults; references. Main 1741.

UNION ST., N., 953—2 unfurnished rooms, ground floor, private entrance; to respectable man and wife. Fair. 306.

WILLIAM ST., W., 304—Two large strictly modern furnished or unfurnished rooms with sleeping porch. Possession May 1st.

ROOMS—Suite of unfurnished rooms for housekeeping. Steam heat, electric lights, gas stove. J. L. Drake, 360 N. Main St.

NORTH SIDE—2 suites of furnished light housekeeping rooms, downstairs and porch privileges. Adults only. Main 2359.

REAL ESTATE FOR RENT

Apartments and Flats. 74

CHURCH, N., 1605—Furnished apartment, 2 large rooms and bath. M. 6341.

FRANKLIN ST., N., 453—2 or 3-room apartment, furnished, modern. Fine place.

GRAND AVE., E., 1209—Modern 3-room unfurnished apartment, $17. Main 6201.

MAIN ST., N., 215—Apartment No. 3, three rooms and bath. Call Main 1276.

WILLIAM ST., W.—3-room, furnished apartment. Adults only. Main 3830.

WILLIAM ST., W., 832—Modern, up-to-date 3-room apartment. Main 3175.

WOOD ST., W., 200 BLK.—3-room apartment. Modern except heat. Smith, Monroe & Smith, 130 W. Main St. Main 1238.

CLOSE IN—West, 2nd floor furnished 4-room apartment with sleeping porch. Inquire Main 2159.

Business Places for Rent. 75

DECATUR DRUG BLDG.—2nd floor, two rooms. Good elevator service. See Dr. Reeves, 203 Decatur Drug Bldg.

OAKLAND AVE., S.—100 block. New store building. Main 3926, 1094 W. Wood.

PRAIRIE AVE., E., 412—Good business room for rent. New building. Call C. H. Pierce, Main 138.

WATER ST., N.—Good business room for rent. Call C. H. Pierce & Son. Main 138.

FOR RENT STORES—231 E. Eldorado. $36. Also 245 for $50.

Farms For Rent. 76

40 ACRES—Pasture for stock, running water, plenty of shade. J. J. Beuge, Rolling Springs Road, R. 1.

170 ACRES—Grain and dairy farm, 8-room modern house, big barn, milk house and outbuildings, at the edge of Decatur. Immediate possession. D. B. Burns, Realtor, 156 So. Water St. F. 664.

365 ACRES—Of grass land, well watered. J. W. McClung, Sullivan, Ill.

Houses For Rent. 77

CHURCH ST., N., 1046—Furnished modern house, 6 rooms and bath. Fair. 2233.

EDWARD ST., N.—3-room modern cottage, with garage. $45. Main 2319.

EDWARD & DIVISION STS.—3 rooms of modern house. Fairview 19.

HOUSE—6 rooms modern and garage. References required. Apply 1334 N. Broadway.

MACON ST., W.—700 Blk. Modern 8-room house, with garage. Full lot. Immediate possession.—C. E. Ward. Main 4480 or 872.

MONROE, N., 345—Furnished 6-room house. Main 2150.

MUELLER AVE., 1156—Five-room, strictly modern bungalow. Apply 1451 North Water. Main 4478.

NORTH ST., E., 345—8-room modern house. Call 2230.

NORTH, E., 625—11 rooms, suitable for 2 families, or rooming house. Lovely place for garden.

PRAIRIE AVE., W., 671—Ten rooms, modern, newly papered; $50. Main 5070.

WARREN, N., 1374—5-room modern house. Possession May 7th. Main 2000.

WOOD, E., 955—3 rooms. Fully modern. Call Main 4896.

EAST END—5-room house. Good garden spot. $20. Fairview 911.

NORTHEAST—7-room, all modern house, ideally located. Arranged for l. h. k. purposes. West Side Real Estate Co. Main 2575 or 5673.

Summer Places For Rent. 80

LAKE DECATUR BUNGALOW—For rent, sale or trade, furnished bungalow on Lake Decatur. Want small suburban. E. L. Carter, 138 N. Franklin. Main 5226.

For Rent 81A

GARAGE—For rent at 863 W. Main. Main 4066.

GRAND AVE., W., 345—2 garages for light cars. M. 4566.

MARIETTA ST., E., 420—New garage for rent. Main 3466.

Wanted—To Rent. 81B

HOUSE—5, 6 or 7 rooms, wanted on or before May 1st. Main 6736.

NORTH OR WEST—Furnished house wanted by couple, for summer. 6 or 8 rooms modern. Call Main 2670.

STORE ROOM—Or garage, for bottling milk. Must have cement floor and proper drainage. Call Main 4792.

WANTED TO RENT—5 or 6-room modern with garage, call Main 367.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

Brokers in Real Estate. 82

C. L. NOLTE—Best prices in modern homes and vacant lots. All kinds of insurance. 548 Stand. Life Bldg. Main 2940.

E. L. CARTER—Real estate, loans, insurance. Have customers for west side Homes. 138 N. Franklin. Main 5226.

W. G. WRIGHT & CO.—We buy, sell and trade city property and farms. 418 Millikin Bldg. Main 950.

Farms and Land For Sale. 83

80 ACRES—Choice black land, well improved, level and well tiled. Near a good town and school. Immediate sale imperative. Best offer takes it. D. B. Burns, Realtor, 156 So. Water St. F. 664.

160 ACRES—Nearly new 8-room house, good barn with cow stanchions, silo, large chicken house, cribs, sheds, etc. Near Dexter on hard road, Effingham County. Free of encumbrance. Will exchange on Macon County farm, income property, or well located garage. D. B. Burns, Owner, 156 So. Water, F. 664.

Houses For Sale. 84

BROADWAY, N.—$500 down and $30 per month buys a 6-room part modern house on full lot. Composition roof. Price $2,300. Hasenfield & Holt, Realtors, 116 Merchant. M. 294.

CANTRELL ST., E.—4-room house. Full lot, $2,300; $400 down, $25 per mo. C. N. Kelley, 326 Citz. Bank Bldg. Main 4544.

CENTER ST., E.—4 rooms, modern except bathtub. Full lot. Paving paid. A real bargain. $1,800, $400 down. H. E. Cannon, Main 3214 or Fair. 2173.

CERRO GORDO ST., W.—7-room, two-story, part modern house, $3,000, $300 down, balance $25 per mo. J. R. Darden, 348 W. Prairie. Main 3320.

CHURCH ST., N.—5-room modern bungalow. Garage, full lot. $4,400; easy terms. 6 rooms, modern. Full corner lot. Price $3,000; $700 cash; balance $35 per month. 6 rooms, part modern; full lot, $700 cash; $25 per month. Main 364.

CLEVELAND, E.—5-room modern cottage on beautiful full lot, paved street; close to car line. $700 down, $40 per month. A bargain. Owner leaving city account poor health. Hazenfield & Holt, 116 Merchant. M. 294.

COLLEGE ST., N.—Close in, 6 rooms, modern. A good buy at $4,500. $500 down. Also a 6-room bungalow on Harrison Ave., for $4,100, $800 will handle. F. M. Tarr, 430 E. Center. Main 6137.

COLLEGE ST., N.—Cor. W. Grand. Good, new thoroughly modern, 8-room house.

COLLEGE ST., N.—8 rooms all modern. Full lot, guaranteed. $5,000, $1,000 down. Frank L. Clark, 418 W. Wood St., Fairview 1049.

DENNIS AVE., N.—5-room brick bungalow. A real bargain if taken at once. Main 2575 or 5673.

JASPER ST., S., 241—5-room modern bungalow. See owner, 781 E. Decatur.

LAWRENCE ST., E.—Thoroughly modern four-room cottage, $3,500. $500 down and bal. $25.00 per mo. J. R. Darden, 348 W. Prairie. Main 3320.

MAIN ST., E.—Close in, up-to-the minute 7-room modern house, garage, lot 40x100. A real home. Cash or terms. C. N. Kelley, 326 Citizens Bank Bldg. Main 4544.

MAIN ST., E.—New 5-room bungalow. Modern except bath tub and stool. Oak floors. Full concrete basement. Full lot, $2,650; $400 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

MONROE ST., N.—Close to Roosevelt Junior High. 7-room all modern. Four large bedrooms. All nicely decorated. Full concrete basement. Garage, $4,000, $800 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTH ST., E.—8-room modern house. Good location for roomers. Owner anxious to sell. Make offer. Can be home on very easy terms. W. E. Gregg, 652 Cushard Bldg. Main 336.

NORTH ST., W.—Close in, 6-room mod. cottage with kitchenette. Fireplace, 3 bedrooms. Full basement, nice lot. Garage. Linoleum, gas range and shades included. Owner has reduced price for quick sale, $1,500 cash, balance terms. Robt. Huston & Co., Over Farmers State Bank. Main 528.

OAKLAND AVE., N.—4 new 5-room bungalows, complete, with bathroom. Concrete basements and electric lights. South fronts. $500 down, $2,900 to $3,600. Main 373.

PRAIRIE AVE., E.—On pavement, 5-room modern cottage. Large rooms, nicely decorated. Full concrete basement. Large lot. Garage. Place South. $4,400; $2,200 down. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

PRAIRIE AVE., E.—5-room strictly modern house, paved street, south front, lots of fruit. An ideal home, on lot 40x132. Cash or terms. C. N. Kelley, 326 Citizens Bank Bldg. Main 4544.

TERRACE GARDENS—5-room modern house, $4,550; $500 down, $35 monthly. Main 4181.

UNION ST., N.—Three 5-room bungalows, 4 new 5-room bungalows, each, $2,500, $2,800, $2,900 and $3,000. Easy payments. Allen, 156 Merchant St. M. 427.

UNION ST., N., 800—6 rooms modern, on full lot. Paved street, $3,900, with $1,100 down. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4951.

WABASH AVE., E.—5-room cottage, electric lights, well. Garage. Two full lots, $3,000, $500 cash and $25 month; good buy. D. D. Hill & Son, 614 Millikin Bldg. Main 353.

WOOD ST., E.—1300 block, 5-room bungalow, modern except bath. On full lot, $3,750, with terms. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4951.

WOOD ST., E.—836—7-room, partly modern house. Lot 40x180. Cheap.

BUNGALOW—Modern; paved street; full lot; garage, terms. Main 1705.

BUNGALOW—Modern; paved street; full lot, garage. Terms. Owner, F. 2953.

BUNGALOW—Very attractive, all modern, 5 rooms, breakfast room and bath; French doors; built-in features; garage with concrete drive. Excellent location. By owner, leaving city. Immediate possession. Main 3034.

CLOSE TO ST. MARY'S—5-room modern cottage. All newly decorated. Large well ventilated bedrooms. Full concrete basement. Full lot. Garage. $4,000. $1,000 down. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

EAST END—New modern 5-room bungalow, $300 cash and balance on payments. W. F. Pickle, 146 E. Main St.

EAST SIDE—Close in. New, all modern completely furnished 4-room bungalow. Beautiful location, priced for quick sale on best of terms. Main 2575 or 5673.

EAST SIDE—5-room bungalow, nearly modern, $2,800, $500 down, $25 per mo. West Side Real Estate Co. Main 2575 or 5673.

HOMES—5 and 7-room modern homes on full lot, in fine location. Also new 5-room bungalow on car line. A beauty. Terms. Call Louise Clark, Fairview 1201.

IMPROVED—And unimproved city property, farm lands. Fire insurance, written. J. C. Lyons, Phone Main 6409.

JUST COMPLETED—$500 down buys new 5-room, modern bungalow, oak floors, beautifully decorated rooms, full lot on street, to be paved this summer. One of the best built homes in the city for $4,000. Let us show you this. Robertson, 822 Gushard Bldg. Main 367.

NINE-ROOM—Modern house, with oak floors and large new furnace. Very desirable for roomers as it has 6 bedrooms and is well located. $11,700 cash and balance in payments. W. F. Pickle, 146 E. Main St.

NORTHWEST—8-room modern bungalow. Many built-in features. Cellinodes, china closet and bookcases built-in. Full concrete basement. Full lot. Garage. $3,900, $2,300 down or will trade for property around $3,000. Decatur Real Estate Co., 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

NORTHWEST—8-room, partly modern bungalow. Practically new, with 2 full lots. Plenty of small fruit. $4,000, $1,000 down. H. E. Cannon, Main 3214 or F. 2173.

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

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NORTH SIDE—Modern cottage of five rooms and bath; full lot; on paved street and car line; $5,100. Terms. J. R. Darden, 348 W. Prairie. Main 3320.

NORTHWEST—$400 down buys 7-room almost modern home. Close in. Each room newly papered, woodwork all newly painted and varnished. New electric and plumbing fixtures, full concrete basement, full lot, absolutely the best buy in Decatur at $3,100. Robertson, 822 Gushard Bldg. Main 367.

SEE R. S. BOHON—About N. Monroe St. bargain, 5 rooms down, 2 up, entirely modern, full lot. Priced right. Also 7 rooms, W. Cerro Gordo about 10 blocks out. Modern except bath tub. 136 E. Prairie Ave. M. 263.

SOUTHEAST—7-room modern house, nicely finished. On full lot with garage. $4,500; on terms. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4951.

WEST—Modern 6-room almost new semi-bungalow, full lot, fine condition, $4,750, $1,000 down, monthly payments. J. T. Pierce, 133 E. Prairie. Main 6802.

WEST PART—6 rooms, English colonial, all modern. Has long living-room. Fireplace. Many built-in features, complete breakfast room. Three bedrooms. Well arranged. Full lot. Garage. $7,500. $2,500. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

WEST SIDE—Brand new 5-room modern bungalow. Hardwood floors, built-in features. Up-to-date. Terms. Zimmerman & Pistorius, Stine Bldg. M. 6984.

WEST SIDE—5-room modern bungalow on 50 ft. lot, paved street. Oak floors, gum finish, fireplace, built-in features. All large rooms. Price $6,500. Terms. C. H. Pierce and Son. Main 138.

5-ROOM CLOSE IN—East side, $4,300, $1,000 down. 6-room modern, $1,000 down. 5-room modern, $3,200, $300 down. 6-room not modern, $3,000, $300 down. These homes well located, and priced right. West Side Real Estate Co. Main 2575 or 5673.

Lots For Sale. 85

CANTRELL ST., E.—Dandy lot, 50x147 ft. $650. A bargain. C. N. Kelly, 326 Citz. Bank Bldg. Main 4544.

JOHNS 1ST. ADDITION—Fine 50 ft. lot, south front. Main 4147.

LAKESIDE LOTS—2, big ones, near city; must sell; payments. Box 712, care Review.

LOT—Beautiful high modern lot, tracts of land for home sweet homes. Can be bought for cash or easy payments. Louise Clark, Fair. 1201.

LOTS—We have some fine lots, 50 ft. in width, for $625 cash or $650 on terms. Located near Roosevelt school. Dickerson & Cloney, 200 Neustadt Bldg. Main 2464. Residence phone: Main 4750.

NORTHWEST—1 acre ground. All in small fruit. 4 blocks from Edward car line. Bargain, terms. Call Fair. 1060.

Resort Property For Sale. 86

LAKE DECATUR—Lot on Lake Decatur. Bargain for quick sale. Terms to suit purchaser. E. L. Carter, 138 N. Franklin. Main 5226.

Suburban For Sale. 87

BEAUTIFUL SUBURBAN HOME—9-room thoroughly modern—5 bedrooms, sewing room, 3 closets, bath, electric lights, hot water, full basement, well and cistern water throughout house. One-car garage, good barn, peach, apple and cherry trees, gooseberry bushes, strawberry bed, rose and shade trees. Located on hard road near Interurban station and is first-class condition. D. B. Burns, Realtor, 156 So. Water, F. 664.

$300 DOWN—Balance, $20 per month buys a 4-acre tract northwest. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4951.

$350 DOWN—And $25 per month buys a one acre improved tract, two miles east of city limits. Stringer & Workman, 119 S. Water St. Main 4951.

SUBURBAN HOME—A fine suburban home of 7 acres, all set in fruit. New 7-room bungalow. A barn, garage, chicken house, 125 chickens and all equipment for caring for fruit trees. Owner in other business. Priced for quick action. Will consider residence as part payment. An unusual opportunity for someone. Campbell, 202 Citz. Bldg. Main 3270.

Real Estate For Exchange. 88

EAST SIDE—5 rooms, modern, paved street, for 10-acre tract close in. Main 6344.

Wanted—Real Estate. 89

BUNGALOW—Of 5 rooms wanted. Must be all modern, convenient, and with long living room. Garage. Northwest side. B. D. Burns, 156 S. Water St. Fair. 664.

HOUSE—5-room house, $100 down; about $30 per mo. Main 4975.

PROPERTY WANTED—Is your property for sale? If so, we can sell it for you quickly. List with us now. Decatur Real Estate Co. 717 Gushard Bldg. Main 963.

SUBURBAN PROPERTY—We have a number of buyers wanting suburban property of ½ to 15 acres. We will take short term listings and push them vigorously. C. N. Gorham & Son. Main 436 and Main 496.

PROPERTY WANTED—Have a cash buyer for 5 or 6-room modern house. Call C. H. Pierce and Son. Main 138.

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Legal Notices. 91

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary B. Hutsch, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Mary B. Huston, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1924.

JOHN M. REDDINGTON, Administrator.

James O'Mara, Attorney.

AUCTIONS—LEGALS

Legal Notices. 91

ADJUSTMENT NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Elizabeth Trimmer, deceased, are hereby notified and requested to attend the July Term, 1924, of the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, beginning July 7, 1924, at the court house in Decatur, for the purpose of having same adjusted. Dated April 22, 1924.

WILL F. TRIMMER, Executor.
Willers & Latham, Attys.

ADJUSTMENT NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Henry W. Trueblood, deceased, are notified and requested to attend the July Term, 1924 of the County Court of Macon County, Illinois, fixed for the purpose of adjustment thereof. Dated April 24th, 1924.

JENNIE ROSE TRUEBLOOD, Administratrix.
Pack & Boggess, Attys.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Bessie Jones, deceased.

The undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Bessie Jones, late of the County of Macon and State of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the County Court of Macon County, at the Court House in Decatur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted.

All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 10th day of April, 1924.

CYRUS R. HILL, Administrator.
Homer N. Wright, Attorney.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court, May term, A. D. 1924, Case No. 28177.

Rosa E. Stanley vs. James H. Stanley, In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office, that James H. Stanley, the defendant in the above entitled cause, is a non-resident of the State of Illinois, notice is hereby given to you, the said James H. Stanley, that the above named complainant has filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against you, the said James H. Stanley returnable on the first day of the next May term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the 2nd Monday of May A. D. 1924. Now, unless you, the said James H. Stanley, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed against you and decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 10th day of April, A. D. 1924.

HARRY R. BUTT, Clerk Circuit Court.
(Seal)
James G. Allen, Solicitor for Complainant.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

State of Illinois, County of Macon, ss. In the Circuit Court, May term, A. D. 1924. Case No. 28230.

John W. Gepford, Complainant, vs. William H. Cross, Trustee, William H. Cross individually, William Adams, Jacob Adams, Ada S. Kirkland, Charity Reinhart, Angeline Seitz, Melissa Wilkins, Laura Jones, Louis Lassiter, William M. Henson, Jr., Aaron Henson, Robert A. Henson, John F. Frazee, Mary Ann Trueblood, Casper Burgner, Ora Gulick, Tillie Scholtz, Nelson Peed, Irene Peed, Unknown Heirs or Devisees of William Peed, deceased, William Stewart, Angeline Foster, Margaret Briggs, Mary McLean, Ace Monroe Smith, Harrison D. Smith, Olive R. Smith, Burial A. Smith, James D. Smith, Louis M. Huffman, Minnie Smith, defendants. In Chancery.

To Jacob Adams, Laura Jones, Louis Lassiter, Aaron Henson, Mary Ann Trueblood, Nelson Peed and Irene Peed, also to the unknown heirs or devisees of William Peed, deceased, defendants:

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office, that Jacob Adams, Laura Jones, Louis Lassiter, Aaron Henson, Mary Ann Trueblood, Nelson Peed and Irene Peed, impleaded with William H. Cross, Trustee, one of the defendants in the above entitled cause, are non-residents of the State of Illinois; also that there are persons interested in this suit as the unknown heirs or devisees of William Peed deceased, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Jacob Adams, Laura Jones, Louis Lassiter, Aaron Henson, Mary Ann Trueblood, Nelson Peed and Irene Peed, that the above named complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which said suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against each of you, the said Jacob Adams, Laura Jones, Louis Lassiter, Aaron Henson, Mary Ann Trueblood, Nelson Peed, and Irene Peed, also the unknown heirs or devisees of William Peed deceased, returnable on the first day of the next May term thereof, to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the Second Monday of May A. D. 1924. Now, unless you, the said Jacob Adams, Laura Jones, Louis Lassiter, Aaron Henson, Mary Ann Trueblood, Nelson Peed and Irene Peed, also the unknown heirs or devisees of William Peed, deceased, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term

To Adjust Clerks' Wages

Salaries to Be Advanced in Some Cases—Vacations Remain—Seven-Day Work Back.

Wabash clerks have completed negotiations and signed up a new arrangement, with the company officials in St. Louis which amounts to a readjustment of wages and reclassification of some of the workers. It goes into effect May 1 and is effective for a year.

The management allows the clerks $125,000 for the year to be used in adjustment of salaries among 2600 clerks on the system. This is to be apportioned out among the various divisions of the road, each division being allowed a certain amount with which to readjust wages. This readjustment idea seems to meet with approval of both company and clerks, the feeling that some of the more important clerical jobs do not draw enough more pay than some of the easier and less important jobs. Then too, in some cases, there is a difference in rate of pay for the same class of job on two divisions.

NOT A RAISE.

"This is not to be considered a raise but a readjustment," said General Chairman W. E. Gollings. "Probably some of the jobs will not have any change made in their rate of pay. Others will have a very substantial raise. For instance, there is a certain job here on the Decatur division that is only paying $4.26 a day. The very same job on the Peru division, which is even easier and lighter to handle, pays $4.96 a day. The purpose of this appropriation is to adjust just such inequalities."

The old seven-day rule was restored to the satisfaction of hundreds of clerks. A year ago, the agreement was made between clerks and the company that clerks working on regular seven-day assignments should have one day in seven off or receive time and one-half for the seventh day. The company, to avoid paying the overtime on the seventh day, cut nearly all of these seven-day assignments to six days and put what was known as a relief clerk on for the seventh day's work at straight time pay.

The clerks who were thus cut down from working seven days to six, missing this seventh day's pay, were soon dissatisfied with the rule and they asked to go back to the old plan. After May 1, all regular seven-day assignments will go back to seven days work at straight time except for holidays.

SATURDAY VACATION.

The clerical forces that have Saturday afternoons off will continue to have them. Neither was there any change in the vacation rules.

A big feature was reclassifications made. The organization commonly called clerks, not only includes clerks but freight handlers, baggage men, truckers, messengers, janitors and other classes of workmen. Much confusion was caused by this in a way. Under the new agreement, a clerk must be one who does clerical work and others will have their exact classification according to what they do.

TO DIVIDE MONEY.

Gollings will return to St. Louis right away at which time, in joint meeting with a company official, the $125,000 appropriation will be divided out among the divisions. Gollings will then have to go to each division and meet with the local chairman and division officials to determine the readjustments to be made. He believes it will require most of the month of May to get all this work done as almost every job on each division will have to be considered. However, the readjustment will date from May 1.

"I feel that we have done pretty good," said Gollings. "We have been down there for about four weeks fighting this thing out with the officials and it has been a hard fight. It was a case of give and take. We had to make a number of concessions but in proportion to what we secured from the company, I think we did well. This is especially so in view of the fact that when our committee first went down there to St. Louis, they wanted to take away everything we had almost, vacations, Saturday afternoons, several other things, and to give us no raise. They wanted to take a whole lot of the jobs, especially those in general offices, including Mr. Hess' office at Decatur, away from the union entirely and put them in excepted classes. We only gave up a few of those—two at Decatur, I believe. We asked for $150,000 appropriation and secured $125,000."

Railroad Notes.

Tuesday was a poor day for business on the Wabash Decatur division but Wednesday came right back and was a good day with 2558 loads and 1008 empties. Grain movement was good again Wednesday, forty-two carloads being handled on trains into Decatur. Thirty-two of these were corn, mostly for Decatur mills.

A benefit dance is to be given in the K. of C. hall on Saturday night, May 3, in an effort to raise about $300 for the Wabash orchestra and quartet. It is the intention to equip the orchestra and quartet with uniforms.

The disposition of the body of Wabash Fireman E. J. Steinlicht, who died in Danville Wednesday morning, had not been determined Thursday noon, according to report from Danville but was awaiting the arrival of the father from Iowa.

300 Callers.

Approximately 300 persons visited The Review business office during Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and enjoyed a cup of hot coffee served them by demonstrators of the Admiration Cup Coffee company. The demonstration closes Thursday evening.

WHAT DID YOU SEE?

H. R. C. saw a man and woman drive up to a garage in a horse and buggy. Two spare tires were on the back of the buggy. The man went into the battery station and got a battery, putting it in the back of the carriage.

A. B. saw a man and woman walking on West Wood street. The man was smoking a cigaret. The woman asked for it and took a puff.

T. N. saw a man driving a sedan car over a bumpy road with one hand and holding a French harp in his mouth with the other.

E. J. saw a man pass down North Main street carrying two fishing poles. Attached to the line of one pole were three fish.

What Did YOU See?

STALEY TO PAY FOR PAVEMENT

To Give $6,200 to Make It 40 Feet.

In order that the proposed pavement on East Eldorado street, from Seventh street to Tenth street, shall be forty feet in width instead of the proposed twenty-eight feet the A. E. Staley Manufacturing Co. will pay the estimated $6,200 additional that this extra twelve feet will cost. This street runs along land owned by the Staley Co. east of Seventh street where developments are planned and in order to have the wider pavement the starch company agrees to pay the difference in cost between the narrower roadway and the one proposed by the Staley Co.

G. E. Chamberlain, general superintendent of the company, gave this proposition to Morgan O'Brien, city engineer, Thursday and it was by him transmitted to the council.

Before leaving for the east Wednesday night Mr. Staley authorized Mr. Chamberlain to make the proposition.

Sues For Divorce.

Mattie Hopkins has filed a bill for divorce from John Edward Hopkins. They were married Aug. 15, 1918, and lived together till Jan. 1, 1923. She charges him with drunkenness, infidelity and cruelty, asks for her maiden name, Mattie Mosby, and for alimony.

Decatur

Once a Year.

This community would survive, of course, if it did not have a spring music festival.

Materially speaking, such an event is of small importance, but from the standpoint of cultural values and that addition to the esthetics of life it should be supported.

Much work is done by those who want to bring such music to Decatur. For this work all that they receive is the satisfaction of hearing such music, of having been the means of making it possible for others to hear it and of paying whatever deficit there may be.

The oratorio choir gives its time for many rehearsals under the direction of Lowell Townsend, director of the Millikin Conservatory of Music.

Both the singers and the director take their pay in satisfaction and hard work.

The committees who work for the success of this annual musical event get their compensation in the same coin.

So do those who guarantee to cover any deficit which may result.

The spring music festival is a community event in the very best sense of the term.

Those who will be out to sell tickets for it should have a courteous bearing.

They are working to give Decatur an event of real music.

There is a surfeit of the other kind in these days of picture theaters.

This community can surely afford one or two really good musical events each year and this spring festival is the high point of the season.

Those who are supporting it with their work, their time and their talents are making a real contribution to that other side of community life which does not have to do with business, manufacturing or other forms of commercial interests.

But that side is just as real as the material side.

It is the same side that calls for trees upon the streets, shrubs about the home, flowers in the parks, good pictures on the walls.

Without that side life would be a drab affair.

It is the side wherein beauty in its varied forms makes the other side worth while.

MONEY FOR ROAD

Wants $4000 for Lake Side Project.

Notice was served on the city council Thursday morning by Philip Kayser, commissioner of streets, that he would want added to his appropriation for next year $3,000 to $4,000 to complete the lakeside road on which so much work had already been done by Charles Becker, township highway commissioner, before that territory was annexed to the city.

Mr. Kayser said that he had had numerous inquiries from citizens asking when the city would finish that road.

WORK TO BE DONE.

The work includes the finishing of the west end of the road to the Lost Bridge road, the installation of a culvert with wing walls and also the extension of the road east beyond the old site of the municipal bath house as well as widening the grade at the east end.

Mayor Elmer Elder took rather vigorous exceptions to what he said is the assumption by the newspapers that the city council had promised to complete that road if the annexation propositions carried. He said that he recognized that that work is important but he did not feel that the council is pledged to do it.

RUTHRAUFF FOR IT.

Commissioner Harry Ruthrauff said that he would certainly vote for an appropriation to finish the job that has been started and carried to its present condition.

The mayor's position is that the council is under no obligation to spend money on annexed territory until the taxes begin to come in from it, which will not be until 1925.

"It's our job just the same," said Philip Kayser, "and we ought to do it."

WOULD BEAUTIFY RIVERVIEW PARK

Ruthrauff in Accord With Review's Suggestion.

Expressing himself as in hearty accord with the suggestion made in The Review Wednesday that the pumping station surroundings, known in the old days as the waterworks grounds, now officially called Riverview park, should be made attractive, Commissioner Harry Ruthrauff intimated to the other members of the city council Thursday that he might ask for a small appropriation for that purpose when the annual budget needs came to be discussed.

Mr. Ruthrauff said that he had this in mind for a number of years and that in his visits to other cities he had found that the pumping station grounds are always made very attractive with flowers, trees, walks and drives.

SEE OTHER PLACES.

Mr. Ruthrauff's hint that he might want a thousand to fifteen hundred dollars to spend each year for that purpose did not arouse much enthusiasm among his fellow commissioners who said that there are many places where money can be spent to make appearances attractive.

But the commissioner of public works was unmoved by any remarks and said that within three or four years, if the work could be done toward a definite plan, which he is in favor of having made, the grounds about the dam and the pumping station would be very pretty.

REFUSE TO CLOSE ALLEY IN WEST

Petition Did Not Contain All Names of Property Owners.

A ptition for the vacation of the alley between West Decatur and West Macon streets from Dennis avenue to Taylor avenue was not granted by the council Thursday morning as it developed that the petition did not carry the names of all the owners of property abutting on the alley to be vacated.

Lee Boland, corporation counsel, called the attention of the council to the fact that the city now has the right, under a recent statute, to collect pay for the ground thus surrendered to abutting property owners.

The petition was referred to the council as a committee of the whole but it is quite probable that unless all property owners sign that the city will refuse to act.

Jack Songer and Floyd Smith were granted police power to serve at the Country club by the city council Thursday morning on a request signed by Country club officials. F. M. Lindsay is surety for both of these men whose police duties will be used principally to keep the club grounds free of stragglers. The men asked that they be given special instructions by a regular police official as to their powers and duties.

ZINSER STRING TRIO TO APPEAR

Will Give Program in I. O. O. F. Hall in Mt. Zion.

The Zinzer String Trio from the Wesleyan College of Music in Bloomington will give a musical program Friday evening, April 25, under the auspices of class No. 12 of the Presbyterian Sunday school. The program will begin promptly at 8 o'clock.

DEATHS.

MRS. GOLDIE SHUMATE.

The funeral of Mrs. Goldie Shumate will be held at 2:30 Friday afternoon in the Long Creek Methodist church, in charge of Rev. H. F. Powell, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church. Burial will be in Long Creek cemetery.

MEETINGS.

Decatur chapter, No. 76, R. A. M., stated meeting Thursday evening at 8 o'clock in Masonic temple. Initiation.

Shown in Fine Exhibit

Decatur Women's part in industry is shown very definitely in the Y. W. C. A.'s industrial exhibit in the Wheeler building on West Wood street. The display opened to the public at 2 o'clock and promises to prove a drawing card for the three days the display is held. The object is to give the public some idea of the work women and girls in the city do in the industrial plants.

Thirteen organizations are taking part in this display. They are Fairies, E. Z. Opener Bag company, Williams Sealing Corporation, U. S. Manufacturing corporation, Home Manufacturing company, Osgood and Heiner, Decatur Garment factory, Hi-Flyer Manufacturing company, Mueller company, Coffin company, Pitner Burial Shoe company, Malleable Iron Works, and the Telephone Exchange.

ALL HAVE BOOTHS.

While there are many other factories in the city, these are the ones where women are employed and as such enter the display. In some instances the process of manufacture is shown in an exceptionally interesting way. All of the companies have booths, some of which are beautifully decorated and others depending upon the displays themselves to attract the attention.

The Home Bureau and the Y. W. C. A. each have booths. The Bureau is emphasizing good health and as a slogan is using "Put your rouge on from the inside," depicting in clever posters the use of vegetables in the diet.

Y. W. C. A. BOOTH.

The Y. W. C. A. booth is presided over by the girls and the booth is arranged in the form of a large triangle beautifully decorated in blue and white, the emblem of the Girl Reserves. Here all kinds of candy is for sale.

At intervals a musical program, not yet announced, will be given from the platform in the center. The display is open from 2 o'clock in the afternoon on through the evening. The admittance is free and the public is invited.

JASPER FATHERS PLAN CARNIVAL

Event Will Be Held May 26 In Yard of School.

Plans were made for a carnival to be given Friday evening, May 23, on the yard of the Jasper school by the Fathers' club of the school, at the meeting of the Fathers' club Wednesday evening in the school building. The carnival will be held under tents. Among the many features of the evening will be a dime museum of freaks and wonders, side shows, Hi Ki, the wild man, Leo, the cigaret fiend; Professor Sandow, strong man of Russia; the Hindu wonder, All All Ayes; Baby Bliss and Jasper, the trained horse.

ERECT BOOTHS.

Booths will be erected where lemonade, peanuts, pop-corn and other palatable food may be obtained. The refreshment stands will open at 5 o'clock and the carnival at 7 o'clock.

The tents will be provided by the Decatur Tent and Awning company and the signs will be painted by Harry Dressen and H. Fitzgerald, both of whom are members of the Fathers' club of the school.

FIRE DEPARTMENT HAS THREE RUNS

One Call is to Filling Station at West Main and Union.

The fire department had three runs Thursday morning but none of the fires was of any consequence. The first call at 8:15 o'clock was to the first house west of the filling station at West Main and Union streets. Evidently a spark on the roof had caused some smoke but there was no work for the firemen when they arrived there.

A small roof fire at 1090 West Wood street caused the second run at 8:35 a. m. and the last call at 11:45 a. m. was for a grass fire in the 800 block West Center.

COPE & FISHER BID ON BIG DAM

Five Submit Propositions at Danville Letting.

Bids for the construction of the water impounding dam at Danville, whereby that city also expects to have a lake, were submitted to the Interstate Water Co., the private water company which serves that city, Monday but no announcement was made of the figures made by any of the five bidders who submitted propositions.

Cope & Fisher, builders of the Decatur dam, made one of the five bids.

PEORIA MAN TALKS TO REALTY BOARD

Gene Brown Tells of Sub-Divisions.

Gene Brown of Peoria, former president of the Peoria Realty Board and recently elected president of the Peoria Chamber of Commerce was the speaker at the Thursday meeting of the Decatur Realty board held at noon in the Y. M. C. A.

Mr. Brown spoke on the subject of subdivisions, drawing from his fund of experience of twenty-five years of realty work in Peoria.

MANY DONATIONS TO BOYS' HOME

Twelve members of the Boys' Opportunity Home board met in the Y. M. C. A. Thursday for the second of their noon-day lunches in connection with the regular board meeting. Only routine business was transacted.

DONATIONS.

Box of books—Mr. Davis of Davis Co.
Clothing—Mrs. Will Race, Mrs. Carlos Lyon, Mrs. Will Peters, Mrs. B. C. Carey, Mrs. Lester Kilck, Mrs. T. B. Smith, Mrs. Minnie King.
Books—Mrs. Curry, Mrs. C. M. Orr, Mrs. Minnie King, Mrs. Troy Alexander.
Two bushel beets—Ed March.
Two hundred and fifty marbles—R. J. Haggard.
Victrola needles—Emerson Co.
Buttons—Friends.
Buttons—Friends from Tuscola and Ivesdale.
Sandwiches, beans, salad, pie, jelly, preserves and milk—Olive Branch Camp, R. N. A.
Tooth brushes, paste, miscellaneous articles—Mrs. O. D. Steele.
Two bushels apples—Mr. Dillon.
Clothing and shoes—Mrs. Robert Mueller, Jesse Tohe.
Clothing—Washrite laundry.
Potted Jonquils—Junior League, First Methodist Episcopal church.
One dozen roses, memory J. H. Hall—Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Rodgers.
One gallon ice cream—Polar Ice Co.

Antioch Baptist Revival.

The revival at the Antioch Baptist church is progressing nicely. A great deal of interest is being taken by the people who are attending. Rev. F. L. Todd of Peoria is the evangelist. He has conducted some very successful meetings in almost every state in the union. Services begin at 7:45 each evening and the public is invited to attend.

NO CHOICE YET OF SALUTATORIAN

High School Seniors Give None a Majority Vote.

The senior class of the high school failed to elect the salutatorian both Wednesday and Thursday morning because one man failed to get a majority. Wednesday morning six candidates were voted upon, and Thursday just the three highest of those were on the ballot. The three names still in the election Thursday, no one of which received a majority, are Carroll Conner, Franklin Bear, and Franklin Lanum. In Wednesday's vote Conner led but now Bear has a slight lead and Frank Lanum who is the lowest probably will have his name eliminated Friday morning, leaving two candidates in the field, which will insure an election. Other numbers for the commencement program will be voted upon as soon as this election is over.

LITERARY TRY-OUTS.

Final tryouts for all the literary contestants who hope to compete in the Charleston and Normal interscholastics May 10 will be held in the auditorium before the school Friday morning.

The following people survived the tryouts for the Taylorville debate: Allen Jones, Reba Hugenberger, Ellis Arnold, Frank Gollings, Florence Scott and John Heil. The debate will be held sometime the last of May.

ASK CLEARING OF BUSY ALLEY

Morehouse & Wells Co. Files Petition With City Council.

Clearing of that crowded alley between Merchant street and North Water street from East Main to East Prairie street was again asked for by the Morehouse & Wells Co. Thursday in a petition to the city council.

The clearing of this alley from East Wood street to East Cerro Gordo street was taken up by the former administration but as it developed that the city's share of the work would come to between $1,000 and $1,200 the project was dropped because of the strict economy necessary during the building of the dam.

Commissioner Ruthrauff recalled these facts to the members of the council and said that the work certainly should be done as that alley with its many poles and its network of wires is a constant menace to firemen, should a fire break out in that locality, as well as a great handicap to traffic.

The petition was referred to commissioner of streets.

C. R. LIGHT IN PRINTING CO.

Buys Out D. G. Kenney with Wallender-Pennington.

C. R. Light, for the last seven years salesman with the Johns-Manville Co. of Chicago, has purchased the interest of D. J. Kenney in the Wallender-Pennington printing and office supply business.

Mr. Light has made Decatur his home for over a year and liked the city so much that he decided to give up his connection with the Chicago firm and enter business here.

CHARLES E. LEE TO NATIONAL MEETING

Will Represent Optimists in Milwaukee Convention.

Charles E. Lee, president of the local Optimist club, will represent the Decatur organization at the national convention of Optimist clubs to be held in Milwaukee June 12-13, according to the vote of the club taken in the regular luncheon meeting Thursday noon in the Y. M. C. A.

The club voted it full cooperation in the Boys' Week activities during the coming week.

Send Out Pumper.

The pumper from number one firehouse answered a call Thursday afternoon shortly after 1 o'clock between Niantic and Illinois when a truck belong to the National Grocer Company in Decatur, caught on fire.

BORN

To Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adkesson, 820 South Webster, April 23, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Sulman, 1074 St. Louis avenue, April 24, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Williams, Windsor, in the Decatur and Macon County hospital, April 22, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Hill, 1261 East Leafland avenue, in the Decatur and Macon County hospital, April 23, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cheek, 140 Westlawn avenue, in the Decatur and Macon County hospital, April 23, a daughter.
To Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Mier, 904 North Edward street, April 20, a son. He has been named Robert William.
To Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Cook, Decatur route seven, April 18, a son.
To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter, 908 South Jackson street, April 20, a daughter.

ELECTRIC POWER

Council Orders Investigation of Project.

FOLLOW SPRINGFIELD

Mayor Makes Resolution; Cites High Rates.

Decatur may go into the municipal ownership policy as far as the making and selling of electric power, light and heat is concerned if an investigation as to possibilities, ways and means and general facts bearing on that subject which is to be made by the city council developes along lines which would appear to make such a policy profitable.

Such an investigation will be made by the city council, as a committee of the whole, with the legal department added, following a resolution introduced by Mayor Elmer Elder and adopted by the council at the Thursday morning meeting.

MAYOR IMPRESSED.

Mayor Elder was greatly impressed by the showing made by the Springfield municipal electric lighting plant which sells current to customers in Springfield at rates running as low as 1.7 to 1.8 cents per kilowatt hour with the result that electric stoves are used in that city which cost the users as low as two dollars a month for current.

Mayor Elder gave some of the facts given to the Decatur visiting officials, who were in that city Tuesday, by Commissioner Spaulding of the capital city council. These so impressed the Decatur mayor that he had the resolution drawn looking toward Decatur making a start in the same direction.

CITES HIGH RATES.

The mayor called attention to the high power and light rates prevailing in Decatur and said that compared to those in Springfield they are a serious handicap to Decatur's industrial growth.

Harry Ruthrauff, head of the Decatur department of public property in which the water and light operation is directed, said that he had contended for a number of years that the city could furnish current at less than the local utilities company could afford to make it and he said that he is still convinced that this can be done.

Mr. Ruthrauff has spoken of this in other administrations but because of a shortage of funds for the development which such a movement would call for the city has never been able to make a start.

RUNS AT NIGHT.

Mayor Elder suggested that as the city lighting plant now runs only at night the city might get into the business gradually by running its plant during the day to furnish current for day power users.

Mr. Ruthrauff and Mr. Elder both recalled the discussion by W. A. Bachr, vice president and general manager of the Illinois Power & Light Co. some time ago in which lower power rates were assured for Decatur within three weeks—and the rates remain unchanged yet.

TO INVESTIGATE.

No general discussion on the subject was indulged in but A. L. McNabb, commissioner of finance, said that he would be interested in having the subject investigated.

The mayor told of the reduction in rates which had followed the adoption of the policy in Springfield.

The resolution which looks toward a basic change in policy in Decatur's utilities, as introduced by the mayor is as follows:

THE RESOLUTION.

"WHEREAS, upon investigation of situations prevailing in certain other cities it has appeared that, through the instrumentality of municipal electric lighting systems rates of service for lighting, heat and power from electricity have been materially lowered in cost to the public at the same time yielding a considerable profit above depreciation and interest charges to the municipality, and

"WHEREAS, the rates prevailing for electric service for power heat and light in the City of Decatur are and have been for a number of years last past exorbitant as compared with rates prevailing under municipally owned plants and certain privately owned plants in other cities; which condition not only has created a burden upon the people of the city of Decatur, but is calculated to retard and handicap the industrial growth of the city to a material degree, and

"WHEREAS, it is felt that resort to the Illinois Commerce Commission for adjustment of such rates not only entails a considerable expense for each attempt at such adjustment, but is doubtful of any results to be accomplished in a practical way, therefore

"BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF DECATUR, ILLINOIS,

"That the Council of said city as a Committee of the Whole together with the legal department of said city shall conduct an investigation into the possibilities and ways and means through which the City of Decatur, Illinois, may establish a municipally owned electric plant for the furnishing of electric light, heat and power to the citizens of said city."

AGAIN SEEKS TO DIVORCE EVELYN

New York, April 24.—Suit for divorce, brought by Jack Clifford, dancer, against Evelyn Nesbit, formerly wife of Harry K. Thaw, was restored to the trial calendar of the supreme court Wednesday. The dancer alleged infidelity in his complaint.

SPRING CEREMONIAL.

Zohak Caldron, No. 17, will hold its spring ceremonial Friday, April 25, in the Eldorado Temple, the business meeting for members only being held at 2:30, with a dinner at 6 o'clock for all members and their families and prospective candidates. The ceremonial begins at 7:30. Three sections will be in full form.

RECITAL TONIGHT.

Miss Catharine Jackson, dramatic soprano, of New England Conservatory of Music, at Boston, will appear in song recital Thursday evening in St. Peter's A. M. E. church at 8:15 under the auspices of the Jolly Hustlers and Pastor's Aid for the benefit of the building fund. She will be assisted by W. M. Van Dyke, Mrs. J. C. Ellis and others.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Bank clearings for the week ending Thursday are $1,286,191.28. For the same time last week they were $1,243,997.59. For th same time last year they were $1,171,520.93.

AT CONVENTION.

The sixth district osteopathic professional convention being held Thursday in Springfield at the St. Nicholas hotel is being attended by the following local doctors: Dr. J. C. Calhoun, Dr. C. Q. Casey, Dr. F. N. Grimsley, Dr. Josephine Hartwig and Dr. J. W. Fish. One of the special features of interest to the local delegates will be a paper and the practical clinical demonstration by Dr. Wolfe of the American School of Osteopathy in Kirksville, Mo.

ST. PATRICK'S CLUB.

The meeting of the St. Patrick's Woman's Club which was to have been held Friday in the school, has been indefinitely postponed.

ENLISTS IN NAVY.

Roy D. Shadrick, 2621 East Marietta street, has enlisted as an apprentice seaman in the U. S. navy for a period of four years. After a short training at the San Diego, Cal., station, he will be transferred to a vessel.

OIL FILLING STATION.

The Shaffer Oil and Refining Co. has taken out a permit to build a $4,000 brick filling station at the northwest corner of Oakland and Wood streets. Improvements now on the lot will be moved off to make way for this change.

PROTEST MEETING.

The Eagles hall, 243-247 South Water street has been rented for Friday evening, in order to hold a mass meeting, presumably to protest the recent action resulting in the picture for the German relief fund being suppressed. The hall was rented by Charles Roberts in charge of the picture and the meeting has been called for 8 o'clock Friday evening. Mr. Roberts will be the speaker.

MUST EXCHANGE TICKETS.

Tickets purchased for the Baseball Fans' association play "Heads or Tails," to be presented Thursday and Friday nights at the Lincoln Square theater, must be exchanged at the box office for reserved seats, the Fans' committee and the theater management wish it to be clearly understood.

Bridge Prizes.

At the 1 o'clock luncheon given Tuesday in the Elks Club by the LaMardi Bridge club, high score prize was awarded Mrs. J. R. Myer, second, Mrs. L. Swisher, and third, Mrs. F. Heger. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Dan Dineen on Tuesday.

Grass Fire.

The fire department answered a call to 418 South Water street Thursday afternoon about 1:45 on account of a grass fire.

On Probation.

Bernice Datesh, who concealed the dead body of her baby pleaded guilty before Judge J. H. McCoy in the county court Thursday morning and was admitted to probation.

Contagion.

Scarlet Fever—Laura Marshall, 2532 East Eldorado.
Scarlet Fever—Ethel Dorsey, 810 North Morgan; Mildred Simpson, 786 West Cushing.

New Teachers.

The following new teachers have been engaged for Macon county rural schools.
Union School—W. B. Lemme.
Flood—Maurine Breisford.
Cherry Grove—Reba Hugenberger.
Salem—Harold Jones.
Upper Sidney—Beatrice Breisford.
Peck—Lula Dobson.
Eldorado—Vivian Pollock.
Oakley—Erma Veach.

DR. W. J. DAVIDSON MAY BECOME BISHOP

Bloomington, Ill., April 24.—Dr. William J. Davidson, of Bloomington, president Illinois Wesleyan University, will be boomed for bishop at the general Methodist conference to be held in Springfield, Massachusetts through the month of May, it was announced here today.

Farm Houses Along O. to O. Glistening Under Fresh Paint

Hammond, April 24.—The power of good example is shown along the Ocean-to-Ocean highway, where practically every farm house is glistening and glowing under new paint. Just where the "Clean up-Paint up" movement along this road started is uncertain, but it has been effective and it is a pleasure to see the pleasant homes bright with new paint and the neat front yards of the farm houses along this road.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

William Ryder, Decatur	27
Lillian Salmon, Taylorville	24
Paul E. Lieman, Springfield	Legal
Bessie Cem, Springfield	Legal

CLARK GAINS TWO; REINDERS LOSES 7.

Two Precincts Finished in Primary Recount.

MAKE GOOD PROGRESS

Mt. Pulaski Man May Abandon Count.

John Clark has gained 107 votes in the two districts in which the ballots had been re-counted up to 11 o'clock Thursday forenoon, and in whose same two precincts, Fred W. Reinders, who is contesting the nomination of John Clark on the Republican ticket for representative in the legislature, lost seven votes.

The recount is proceeding at the rate of one precinct in two hours.

FINISH 27TH.

The re-count of the votes cast in the primary in the Twenty-Seventh district was completed at exactly 11 o'clock Thursday forenoon.

Two ballots in this precinct were thrown out, one because the initials of the election judge were not on the ballot, and one because Carl Bosaiske, a voter, had written his name on the back of the ballot.

The re-count gave John Clark a gain of five votes in this precinct. It also caused W. C. Chynoweth to lose three and a half votes. Fred W. Reinders lost eight and a half votes, which increases Clark's lead over the contest just that many more. Henry Menzel lost two votes in this precinct, and J. W. Persons gained two votes.

TWENTY-SEVENTH PRECINCT.

The vote reported by the judges of election and the vote as shown for each candidate in the re-count of the ballots are shown below:

Candidate.	Judges' Return.	Recount.
John Clark	401	406
Chynoweth	132	128½
Reinders	110½	102
Menzel	48	46
Persons	18½	20½

The re-counting of the ballots in the Twenty-eighth precinct was begun at 11 o'clock. At the rate of present progress it should be possible to re-count three precincts a day. If this rate is kept up and Clark maintains his lead Friday it is believed by some that Mr. Reinders will dismiss the contest without waiting till all nine of the precincts have been re-counted, because there could not be enough difference in the last two precincts to change the result.

28TH FINISHED.

The twenty-eighth precinct recount in the Reinders-Clark contest showed as follows:

	Judges return	Recount
Clark	429½	408½
Chenoweth	93½	98½
Reinders	52½	48½
Menzel	10	10
Persons	20½	20½

26TH A SURPRISE.

The recount of the ballots cast in the Twenty-Sixth district at the primary held April 8, was a surprise to the candidates as well as to all concerned. Instead of the recount showing less votes for some candidates than the number reported by the judges in the precinct, each of the legislative candidates gained some votes.

One ballot was thrown out because it did not have the initials of the judge of election on it. This lost three votes to W. C. Chynoweth, but even at that he gained enough so that at the close of the re-count he had 102 more votes than the judges had given him credit for. John Clark gained fifty-two and a half votes in the precinct and Fred W. Reinders gained only one vote. Henry Menzel and J. W. Persons gained two votes each.

GLAD OF RECOUNT.

Just before the recount in the Twenty-Sixth precinct was begun John Clark said: "I am glad they started with that precinct. I am dead sure that I won't lose any votes there, for I did not have a single friend on the board in that precinct. The judges and clerks were all against me and they wouldn't give me half a vote that I was not entitled to."

There were four ballots challenged in this precinct, but at the close of the recount the challenges were withdrawn except as to the ballot that had no initials of the judge on it.

START AT 3 O'CLOCK.

It was after 3 o'clock Wednesday afternoon when the actual counting of the ballots began. It was expected that the work would go faster after the first day, and it is possible that the recount may be completed by Friday night.

Following is the vote received by each candidate as shown by the return of the judges and as shown by the re-count:

Candidate.	Judges' Return.	Re-count.
W. C. Chynoweth	328½	432
John Clark	400	452½
F. W. Reinders	127	126
Henry Menzel	29	31
J. W. Persons	69½	71½

LAWYERS PRESENT.

Circuit Clerk Harry R. Butt calls off the vote, and each contestant has a lawyer, one on each side of the clerk, to see that there is no mistake in announcing the vote. Byron M. Merris, for Mr. Reinders, and Howard Doyle, for Mr. Clark, are keeping tally. There is no chance for error in the recount.

If at the close of the recount it is apparent that the challenged ballots would not affect the result, even though the challenges were allowed, there will not be any argument. This will be the shortest election contest ever held in Macon county. It is believed. The preliminaries occupied much less time than in any other contest.

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